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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 4/11/58

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
IS-EGYPT
REGISTRATION ACT

Re New Haven letter to the Director, 3/19/58, entitled, "UNKNOWN SUBJECT, wa. Adole, Mrs. Dorothy Hartel, Complainant; SM-MISCELLANEOUS."

Unsub-ADOLE, referred to in complainant's letter, is JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party, an anti-Negro, anti-Semitic Neo-Fascist group in NYC. Bufile 62-83296.

Information concerning a TV program, which MADOLE appeared on, referred to in complainant's letter, was the program "Night Beat", Channel 5, 7/30/57. Information concerning this TV appearance by MADOLE appears in report of SA [redacted], dated 8/14/57, and captioned as above.

Bureau instructions to New Haven in requesting identification of unsub ADOLE stated that, upon identification, communication should be submitted in appropriate caption. UACB, the NYO will take no further action concerning this complainant's letter.

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TITLE OF CASE JAMES H. MADOLE		Report made by [redacted]	Typed By: mlm
		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - EGYPT; REGISTRATION ACT	

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Synopsis:

JAMES MADOLE continues to reside at 10 West 90th St., NYC, where he maintains headquarters of the National Renaissance Party, an anti-Negro, anti-Semitic, neo-Fascist group. MADOLE is presently unemployed but claims to have sufficient funds to continue operation of the NRP. MADOLE printed an article entitled "Is Anti-Semitism Justified by History", in the "National Renaissance Bulletin", which he stated was written by the Egyptians. MADOLE continues to distribute quantities of Arab literature through the NRP. Informants indicated no knowledge of any payments to MADOLE by the Egyptians or other Arab officials.

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DETAILS:

T-1 indicated on March 31, 1958, that the National Renaissance Party (NRP) continues to maintain headquarters at 10 West 90th Street, New York City in the apartment of JAMES MADOLE, its national leader. He stated that MADOLE holds informal gatherings weekly at this apartment which are attended by handfuls of NRP supporters. He stated that at present, MADOLE is un-employed but claims to have sufficient funds to continue operation of the NRP. MADOLE has stated according to T-1 that he plans no further public meetings of the NRP, but is content to have his followers attend meetings of such groups as the "Truth Seeker" which MADOLE speaks at. T-1 added that the "Truth Seeker" is an atheist group headed by one CHARLES SMITH, which has been active for many years in New York City and which publishes a monthly pamphlet entitled "Truth Seeker" - oldest freethought paper in the world, founded 1873.

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T-1 indicated on March 10, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE stated that he had been laid off from his job because of business conditions and there had been nothing personal in his discharge as others in the company had also been laid off. MADOLE indicated that he is not seeking another job and has not signed for un-employment benefits, stating that he doesn't need it. MADOLE added that he would have enough money to continue putting out the NRP Bulletin and will be able to manage funds for the NRP without working.

T-1 indicated on March 10, 1958, that MADOLE indicated that he would attend a "National Review Forum" to be held at Hunter College on March 20, 1958. MADOLE indicated that he and some of his boys would be out on the side walk prior to the meeting passing out NRP literature. It is noted that the "National Review" 211 East 37th Street, New York City, states that it is the "weekly magazine of conservative opinion". MADOLE also indicated he would attend a "Truth Seeker" meeting on March 14, 1958, and take members of the NRP to this meeting.

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A Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation observed JAMES MADOLE, JOSEPH RUDDEN and an unidentified person named [] in attendance at the National Review Forum in Hunter College on March 20, 1958. These three individuals were observed on the sidewalk outside Hunter College distributing literature to persons as they departed from this meeting. The literature distributed was in the form of various National Renaissance Bulletins and Arab literature stamped with the name of the NRP. b6 b7C

T-1 stated on March 21, 1958, that a meeting was held in Pythian Hall on March 14, 1958, by the "Truth Seeker" group, also known as the Ingersoll Forum. He stated that the subject attended with a large group of his followers and that MADOLE spoke at this meeting and distributed many copies of Arab literature, which had been stamped with the name of the NRP.

T-1 indicated on March 8, 1958, that MADOLE had indicated the new bulletin would be ready for mimeographing about March 5, 1958 and the title would be "Anti-Semitism Justified by History". MADOLE stated the main theme of the article, which stated the causes of anti-Semitism in the near East, had been written by the Arabs. MADOLE explained that the Arabs he had reference to were "the Egyptians and everything clears through them".

T-1 indicated on March 11, 1958, that the February, 1958 NR Bulletin had been mimeographed in the office of "Common Sense" and contained one article entitled "Is Anti-Semitism Justified by History?" by JAMES H. MADOLE.

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T-1 indicated on March 14, 1958, that MADOLE had stated he and eight others of the NRP had attended a meeting at the headquarters of the Arab Student League, 2875 Broadway on March 2, 1958. MADOLE indicated there were about fifty persons present, 25 of whom were students and the remainder presumably American friends. He stated that it was primarily a social gathering but that he was asked to deliver a talk and complied by speaking for about a half an hour and answering questions. MADOLE indicated that he gave his usual NRP speech against the Jews. T-1 added that MADOLE also collected a great deal of literature at these headquarters which he stamped with the NRP name and which he will distribute through NRP channels.

T-1 indicated on April 2, 1958, that in the past, MADOLE has received money from FREDRICK WEISS for support of the NRP, however, at present WEISS and MADOLE are not friendly. He stated that it has long been rumored by persons working with MADOLE in the NRP that FREDRICK WEISS is an agent for the Anti-Defamation League through his friendship with [redacted] a known agent of the Anti-Defamation League. It is noted that the Anti-Defamation League is the investigative agency of B'nai B'rith, a national Jewish organization.

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T-1 added that it does not appear at present that MADOLE is receiving financial support from anyone including many Arab officials. T-1 further stated that MADOLE does not need anyone's financial support to continue operation of the NRP, inasmuch as his personal financial needs are taken care of by his mother with whom he resides and the small amount required for publication of the NR Bulletin is obtained by sales of literature and small contributions. He stated that in recent months, the NRP has held no public meetings and made no wholesale literature distribution by mail and, therefore, its expenses have been nominal.

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[redacted] indicated on February 19, 1958, that he recently became interested in the NRP and as a result, had invited JAMES MADOLE and other members of the NRP to his home. He stated that it is his opinion that the NRP is a rather small ineffectual organization with MADOLE in complete charge. He stated that it appears at the present time that MADOLE is making a great effort to publicize the Arab point of view in its struggle against Israel. He added that MADOLE apparently regularly visits official Arab establishments in New York City, where he obtains much Arab literature. [redacted] indicated that he was not able to ascertain if MADOLE was being paid for this work or what he expected to get out of this.

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T-2 indicated on March 13, 1958, that he was not acquainted with JAMES MADOLE and he had never heard that MADOLE was being supplied with funds by any Arab establishment in the United States particularly the Egyptian establishments. (S)(u)

T-3 indicated on April 1, 1958, that he was not acquainted with anyone by the name of JAMES MADOLE, however, he identified a photograph of MADOLE as a person who regularly visited the United Arab Republic Consulate at 900 Park Avenue, New York City. T-3 was unable to advise whom this individual visited or what his business was at the Consulate. (S)(u)

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APPENDIX

COMMON SENSE

It is noted that "Common Sense" published by the Educational Association of Union, New Jersey, was characterized in a report issued on December 17, 1954, by the Committee on Un-American Activities of the United States House of Representatives as a "hate group" vehicle publishing "some of the most vitriolic hate propaganda ever to come to the attention of the Committee". According to the report, "Common Sense" depicts Communism as "Judaism", and devotes its pages almost exclusively to attacks on the Jewish and to a lesser extent, the Negro minorities in our nation. Sympathy for the former Nazi regime in Germany is also injected into this propaganda.

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

On April 29, 1957, a confidential source stated that the NRP is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York area. He indicated that JAMES MADOLE, founder and leader of the Party, is the only person who consistently performs Party functions. He stated the Party's main function is the printing and distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and other literature from time to time, which is distributed throughout the United States and abroad where it is reprinted by similar organizations.

He stated that the NRP recently has distributed large quantities of Arab literature after stamping it with the name of the NRP and that finance for the Party's operation is partly obtained in this manner.

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Enclosed herewith are five copies of the report of SA [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at New York, and five copies of a letterhead memorandum relating thereto.

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REFERENCES:

New York report of SA [redacted] dated 2/28/58.

Bullets to New York, dated 1/9/58 and 3/17/58.

INFORMANTS:

Identity of Source	Date of Activity and/or Description of Information	Date Received	Agent To Whom Furnished	File No. Where Located
T-1				
[redacted]	Re general activities	3/31/58	SA [redacted]	105-6112-589
[redacted]	Re employment	3/10/58	SA [redacted]	105-6122-589
[redacted]	Re "National Review"	3/10/58	SA [redacted]	105-6112-106
[redacted]	Re "Truth Seeker"	3/21/58	SA [redacted]	105-6112-589

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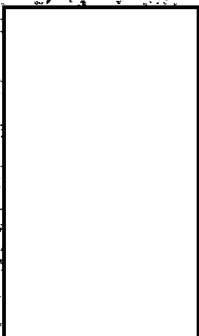
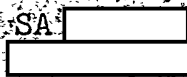

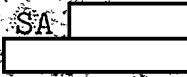
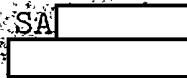
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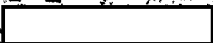
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	Re Bulletin	3/8/58	SA 	105-6112-587
	Re Bulletin	3/11/58	SA 	105-6129-107
	Re Arab meeting	3/14/58	SA 	105-6129-108
	Re ADL	4/2/58	SA 	105-6129

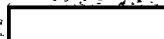
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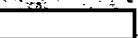


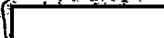
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Fisur on 3/20/58, was conducted by SA [redacted]
[redacted] was used to document NRP.

Referenced Bulets requested the NYO to resolve information to the effect that the Anti-Defamation League was furnishing money to MADOLE for operation of the NRP. It is noted that information from [redacted] regarding this situation is included in the enclosed report. The NYO believes that this situation is further explained by information previously reported in the investigations entitled "National Renaissance Party, IS-X, Bufile 62-83296" in reports of SA [redacted] dated as follows:

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All these reports indicate that the NRP is being supported to some extent by persons connected with various Jewish organizations including the anti-Defamation League.

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The NYO is recommending that this case be submitted to the Department for consideration as to whether the subject is in violation of the Foreign Agents Registration Act, inasmuch as all logical leads have been covered.

It is not recommended that the subject JAMES MADOLE be interviewed prior to completion of this investigation in view of the current investigations of MADOLE and his organization under the case entitled "National Renaissance Party, IS-X" and possible contemplated action against this group by the Attorney General. Furthermore, it is felt that interview with the subject would serve no practical purpose at this time inasmuch as MADOLE is known to be hostile to the FBI. UACB this matter is being placed in a P* status by the NYO until such time as an opinion is rendered by the Department.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

April 15, 1958

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Re: James H. Madole
Internal Security - Egypt
Registration Act

T-1 utilized in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above has furnished reliable information in the past and indicated that he received his information from the source whom he termed reliable but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

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T-2 in the above report has furnished reliable information in the past.

T-3 in the above report is a source with whom insufficient contact has been had to judge the reliability of the information.

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Internal Security Division

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Reference is made to previous investigative reports concerning the captioned subject which have been furnished to the Records Administration Branch of the Department. Enclosed is a copy of a report concerning the subject dated April 15, 1958, together with a copy of a memorandum bearing the same date. Also enclosed is a Photostat of the February, 1958, issue of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" which is referred to on page 3 of the enclosed report.

It is requested that this Bureau be advised in the event the activities of the captioned subject as reflected in the referenced reports and the enclosures hereto require his registration pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

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NOTE: Subject is president of the National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in NYC. The NRP is being investigated under an IS - X caption and is presently under active consideration by Department for designation pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Instant Registration Act investigation of subject instituted November, 1956, upon receipt of info that he was distributing Arab propaganda in NY area. Investigation has reflected subject has periodically visited various Arab diplomatic establishments in NY area, including Syrian and Egyptian consulates, and has obtained large quantities of propaganda which he has stamped with name of NRP and sold to his followers. Practically all info in this regard has been furnished by [redacted]

On 11-14-57 Madole was interviewed by Army investigators as a reference in a personnel investigation and

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he volunteered he had visited Syrian Consulate, NYC, where he has been given literature and Syrians in return have bought his literature for distribution in Egypt and Syria. Investigation has not developed any info that subject is being paid by any of the Arab establishments or has a contractual relationship with him. Subject not being interviewed in view of the status of the pending NRR investigation and also since he is known to be hostile to the Bureau.

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INTERNAL SECURITY - EGYPT
REGISTRATION ACT

Re New Haven let to Director, 3/19/58, entitled "UNSUB: wa. Adole, Mrs. Dorothy Hartell, Complainant, Security Matter - Miscellaneous".

By letter dated 2/6/58, Mrs. DOROTHY HARTELL, 22 Harrison St., Danbury, Conn., advised the FBI, Washington, D.C. that she had heard an individual named "Adole" on a television program state that he headed a group that was "out to overthrow the government". Mrs. HARTELL further advised that this individual admitted, on this television program, that he was anti-Negro and anti-Jew.

By relet New Haven requested NYO to continue investigation requested by the Bureau in letter from the Director to Mrs. DOROTHY HARTELL, dated 2/14/58, with cc to New Haven. In this letter the Bureau requested New Haven to identify the individual referred to by Mrs. HARTELL.

Since the television program referred to by Mrs. HARTELL originated in NYC, relet requested NYO to continue investigation to ascertain the identity of UNSUB: wa. Adole referred to by Mrs. HARTELL.

A review of the NYO files reflected that the UNSUB referred to above is identical with captioned subject who appeared on the television program "Nightbeat" on Channel 5, NYC, on 7/30/57, and was interviewed by JOHN WINGATE.

An account of this interview was set forth in report of SA [redacted] New York, dated 8/14/57, and captioned "JAMES H. MADOLE, INTERNAL SECURITY - EGYPT; REGISTRATION ACT".

For the information of the New Haven Division, JAMES MADOLE is leader of the National Renaissance Party (NRP).

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On 4/29/57, [REDACTED], who has furnished reliable information in the past, stated that the NRP is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York area. He indicated that JAMES MADOLE, founder and leader of the Party, is the only person who consistently performs Party functions. He stated the Party's main function is the printing and distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and other literature from time to time, which is distributed throughout the United States and abroad where it is reprinted by similar organizations.

He stated that the NRP recently distributed large quantities of Arab literature after stamping it with the name of the NRP and that finance for the Party's operations is partly obtained in this manner.

Inasmuch as UNSUB: wa. Adole has been identified with JAMES MADOLE, leader of the NRP, NYO will conduct no additional investigation in this matter and will consolidate its case on UNSUB: wa. Adole, NY 100-134963, into the case on captioned subject, NY 105-6129.

Since the Bureau will desire to consolidate its files, it is noted that Bufile 100-0-31881 is identical with Bufile 105-52256. C.

Mr. Nease

May 20, 1958

M. A. Jones

**JAMES MADOLE
NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY**

The New York Office on May 19, 1958, advised that, according to an informant, the above-captioned individual would issue a blast against the Director and attack "Masters of Deceit" in a bulletin issued by his organization. He reportedly would assert that the Director is the "master of deceit" and that the "Hoovers in the world can't sell Jewry to us." The bulletin is to be printed on Wednesday of this week. Mr. Tolson noted, "What is background of Madole?" and the Director commented, "Let me know."

File 105-52256 reflects that James H. Madole is the subject of an "Internal Security--Egypt; Registration Act" investigation. He is President of the National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in New York City. The NRP is being investigated under an Internal Security--X caption and is presently under active consideration by the Department for designation pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

Madole, the founder and leader of the NRP, is the only person who consistently performs Party functions. According to an informant, the Party's main function is the printing and distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and other literature from time to time, which is distributed throughout the United States and abroad where it is reprinted by similar organizations.

The present Registration Act investigation of Madole was instituted in November, 1956, upon receipt of information that he was distributing Arab propaganda in the New York area. Investigation reflected that Madole periodically visited various Arab diplomatic establishments in the New York area, including the Syrian and Egyptian Consulates, and obtained large quantities of propaganda which he stamped with the name of the NRP and sold to his followers. On November 14, 1957, Madole was interviewed by Army investigators as a reference in a personnel investigation and volunteered that he had visited the Syrian Consulate, New York City, where he had been given literature and the Syrians in return bought his literature for distribution in Egypt and Syria. Investigation has not developed any data that Madole is being paid by any of the Arab establishments or they have

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a contractual relationship with him. Madole was not interviewed by the Bureau in view of the pending investigation of the NRP and also since he is known to be hostile to the FBI. The Registration Act aspects of Madole's activities were referred to the Department on April 25, 1958, with the request that this Bureau be advised in event his activities as reflected by our investigation require his registration pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

RECOMMENDATION: None. For information.

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Enclosed is a copy of a self-explanatory memorandum dated 5-27-58 from the Internal Security Division of the Department regarding the subject. Your attention is particularly directed to the last paragraph of the enclosed letter which states that in the event additional information is received indicating that the activities of the subject are, in fact, being controlled by a foreign principal, the matter of the solicitation of the subject's registration will be reviewed in the light of additional evidence. Accordingly, you should, therefore, be alert to the receipt of any information along this line and forward such information as may be received to the Bureau in form suitable for dissemination. In the meantime, this case may be closed.

Enclosure

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 6/30/58

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

~~SECRET~~SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
IS-EGYPT
REGISTRATION ACT

ReNYlet 4/15/58, and Bulet 6/3/58.

Departmental memorandum which was enclosed with reference Bulet, stated that any additional information received indicating subject's activities, are being directed by a foreign principal should be furnished.

[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on 5/19/58, that a source whom he termed reliable, but whose identity he did not wish to disclose, had advised that JAMES MADOLE indicated he is doing well, and cannot handle any more work, inasmuch as the Arabs introduced him to the Indonesians. MADOLE stated that he writes for the Indonesians, and they pay him for the writings. (u)

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[redacted] made available on 6/6/58, and 6/10/58, a total of three reports which were furnished to the Bureau by airtel 6/13/58, entitled "[redacted] was; IS-ISRAEL", Bufile 105-50122. The first report dated 3/10/58, is entitled "A report on Zionist Fund-Raising Techniques in America and Germany", written by JAMES H. MADOLE, 10 West 90th Street, New York. The second report dated 4/29/58, is entitled, "An analysis of Israel's Import-Export Trade, and a Study of American Investments in Israel". This report on page 11, of the final draft has a third paragraph under suggestions which reads as follows, according to the informant: (u)

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"If these last two reports are quite satisfactory, I would like to again request my becoming a paid consultant of the Iraqi Government. These reports can then be furnished regularly and we can constantly supply your Government with the latest information on Jewish activities in the United States. (S) (u)

"s/James H. Madole
National Renaissance Party"

The third report dated 5/28/58, entitled "A report on American Governmental Aid to Israel" is based on a press release of the Export-Import Bank of Washington dated 5/14/58. This report was also written by JAMES H. MADOLE according to the informant. (S) (u)

It is to be noted that [redacted] and [redacted] all information disseminated should be paraphrased as much as possible to protect the informant. Material disseminated from this informant should be classified "Secret" in view of the extremely delicate situation involved in operating this informant, the divulgence of which would be prejudicial to the National Defense interest. (S) (u)

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The above is for the information of the Bureau and the NYO will take no further action until instructions are received from the Bureau.

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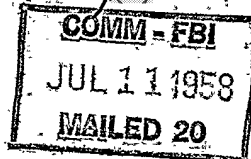
Reurlet 6-30-58.

With regard to information furnished by [redacted] indicating that Madole writes for and is paid for his writings [by the Indonesians] you are instructed to recontact [redacted] to obtain additional details concerning subject's work for the Indonesians. You should definitely ascertain from this confidential source the identity of the Indonesians or the Indonesian establishment for which the subject writes; the type of writing subject does; the amount of money paid to the subject; and the length of time subject has been doing this work. Any other information concerning subject's activities on behalf of the Indonesians should, of course, be obtained from the source and any other sources who may be able to provide this information. All information in this regard should be submitted in report form suitable for dissemination so that it may be forwarded to the Internal Security Division of the Department. (u)

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With regard to the information furnished by [redacted] concerning Madole as set forth in your referenced letter, it is not desired that the information furnished by that source which has been utilized in the current [redacted] be set forth for dissemination in the captioned case at this time inasmuch as the [redacted] may be placed in jeopardy by such dissemination. (u)

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NOTE: Subject is president of the National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-fascist group in NYC. A Registration Act investigation of subject was initiated in 11/56 upon receipt of information subject was distributing Arab propaganda in NY area. Investigation reflected subject periodically visited (NOTE CONTINUED PAGE 2)

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Let to SAC, New York
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NOTE CONTINUED: various Arab diplomatic establishments and obtained large quantities of propaganda which he stamped with name of NRP and sold to his followers. Investigation, however, did not develop any information that subject was being paid by any of Arab establishments or had contractual relationship with them. Department on 5-27-58 advised evidence developed insufficient to establish subject is acting as agent of foreign principal so as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register and requested that any additional information received indicating subject's activities are being controlled by foreign principal be submitted to Department for review. NY's incoming letter reflects information received from [redacted] that subject told informant that [he is doing writings for the Indonesians and is paid by them.] NY also advised that

(u) (S) Madole for [redacted] had made available three reports prepared by become a paid consultant of Iraqi Consulate and indicating that he would like to as to handling this information concerning subject in view of double agent operation. The above reports concerning Madole have previously been cleared for passage to the double agent's Israeli principal. (u)

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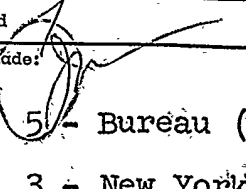
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The subject indicated in May 1958, that he prepared a 35 page article requested by the Arabs concerning conditions in the United States relating to the Arab boycott of Jewish firms and delivered it to the Egyptian Office. MADOLE also stated in May 1958, that he writes for the Indonesians and they pay him for the writings. T-1 indicated he believes (u) MADOLE's work for the Indonesians was only on one occasion and that all his writing is presently for the Egyptians. T-2 indicated MADOLE visited the United Arab Republic Delegation on 7/1/58. (u)

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DETAILS:

T-1 indicated on May 6, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party had indicated on May 1, 1958, that FREDERICK WEISS had visited at his apartment and had offered him and his mother a four room apartment in the Yorkville Section of New York City, where MADOLE would be able to do his work properly.

WEISS indicated to MADOLE that he would make all the arrangements with the superintendent, so that MADOLE would not be bothered and MADOLE gained the impression that the rent on this apartment would be paid for him.

MADOLE indicated he flatly refused this offer and shortly thereafter WEISS left. MADOLE stated that he still does not trust WEISS because they formerly worked together and letters of MADOLE's which WEISS had access to later appeared in a publication of the Anti-Defamation League.

MADOLE further stated that he believed the next issue of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" would be late, and advanced the reason for this as "The Arabs advised they want me to write an article for which my tentative title is "Conditions in the USA".

MADOLE stated this article requested by the Arabs is not for his bulletin but will be translated into Arabic and published in an Egyptian paper and probably in other publications. This source added that MADOLE is still unemployed and is not seeking a job.

[redacted] L. H. Donerich and Company, 261 Madison Avenue, New York City, indicated on May 7, 1958, that JAMES H. MADOLE was employed by this firm on September 13, 1955, as a junior clerk at \$40.00 per week, and that he left of his own accord on December 4, 1957.

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He stated MADOLE listed his birth date as July 7, 1927; his address as 10 West 90th Street, New York City; and his Social Security Number as 054-24-378. His references were listed as KURT MERTIG, 508 Second Avenue, New York City. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] The latter was also listed as MADOLE's previous employment from May, 1953 to June 1955.

[REDACTED] stated that he knew nothing further concerning MADOLE but that [REDACTED] was [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] York City, stated [REDACTED] JAMES MADOLE and was [REDACTED] [REDACTED] at the time of his discharge.

He indicated that [REDACTED] MADOLE in December, 1957, that he would be laid off because of business conditions. MADOLE quit in the middle of the week.

[REDACTED] stated that there had been no difficulty with MADOLE while he was employed there, but that he strictly stayed to himself and had no friends in the office.

[REDACTED] added, however, that MADOLE was frequently absent because of illness and was considered very odd by his fellow employees.

He added that since MADOLE has left, he has made several telephone calls to female employees at this office and attempted unsuccessfully to make dates with them.

[REDACTED] added that they definitely would not rehire MADOLE.

T-1 indicated on May 13, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE had indicated he had finished an article requested by

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the Arabs which had taken him three weeks to prepare and which contained 35 pages. He said it is report on conditions in the United States relating to the Arab boycott of Jewish firms, and he does not believe it will be printed, but is for the use of the Arabs.

MADOLE indicated he listed firms that did business with Israel or in some way work for Israel and firms that contribute to the United Jewish Appeal or other funds collecting money relating to Jewish affairs.

MADOLE indicated he had listed 400 such companies and that he did the major part of the work himself. He indicated he had received some help, however, he did not state where the information was obtained.

MADOLE said he delivered this report to the Egyptian Office and had stated that these Arabs are infantile in believing that there are good and bad Jews.

The source added that MADOLE stated he now averages about \$200 monthly on his operation of the National Renaissance Party and he stated he is not worrying about money and he is not looking for any job.

T-1 indicated on May 19, 1958, that MADOLE had stated he is too busy at present to hold any National Renaissance Party meetings of his own and indicated that CHARLES SMITH, leader of the "Truth Seeker" group would not hold any more meetings until next Fall.

MADOLE said he would not speak at any street meetings this summer because of being occupied with writing the "Renaissance Bulletin" and doing work for the Arabs.

MADOLE said he is doing well and cannot handle anymore work, inasmuch as the Arabs introduced him to the Indonesians. MADOLE stated he writes for the Indonesians and they pay him for the writings.

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This source furnished several Indonesian publications which MADOLE was distributing through the National Renaissance Party.

T-1 indicated on June 27, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE continued to maintain headquarters of the National Renaissance Party at his apartment, 10 West 90th Street, New York City. He said that MADOLE has indicated recently that he is spending all of his time preparing literature for the National Renaissance Party as well as writing the new National Renaissance Party Bulletin.

MADOLE said the new Bulletin would deal with General DE GAULLE, his friendship for the Jews of Israel and his close association with international Jewish bankers. MADOLE indicated that he obtained his data on DE GAULLE from the Arabs. MADOLE indicated his current Bulletin had been well received and that all the letters he received concerning it except one had been high in praise of its contents. MADOLE indicated that he had received \$72 in donations as a result of the last Bulletin.

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This source added that MADOLE has a great deal of Arab literature on hand in his apartment which appears to have come predominately from the United Arab Republic Office, 900 Park Avenue, New York City.

This source stated that MADOLE continues to be in complete control of the National Renaissance Party and has indicated that he has no plans for future public meetings of the party.

The source said that MADOLE apparently has decided that it is more profitable for him personally to cooperate with the Arab countries and distribute their literature than conduct public street meetings and solicit contributions.

This source further stated that during the past six months, MADOLE has received numerous requests from leaders of Klan groups, citizen council groups and similar types of organizations in the South soliciting his cooperation and support. According to this source, MADOLE has no desire to join the National Renaissance Party with any other nationalistic type organization.

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T-1 indicated on July 15, 1958, that MADOLE usually refers to his dealings with the Arabs but does not specify any particular country. He stated that MADOLE formerly contacted [redacted] at the Egyptian Delegation, to the United Nations (UN), 900 Park Avenue, and presently is undoubtedly contacting [redacted] successor [redacted] for the United Arab Republic, 900 Park Avenue, New York City. (S)(u)

This source said that MADOLE has made no further mention of any work he is doing for the Indonesians or what individual with the Indonesians for whom he has been working. (S)(u)

This source said that MADOLE has never mentioned how much he was being paid by the Indonesians and only recently mentioned working for them at all and may not be continuing to work for them at present. (S)(u)

This source stated that MADOLE has indicated the type of writing he has done is anti-Jewish pro-Nationalist, which is in line with the National Renaissance Party Program.

T-1 indicated on July 18, 1958, that MADOLE is presently distributing leaflets entitled "Shall Americans Fight Another War for the Jews?". He stated that this leaflet had been written by MADOLE at the request of the Arabs (not specifically indicated which Arabs) and that CONDE MC GINLEY, Editor of "Common Sense", had mimeographed 1500 copies of this leaflet. This informant indicated that MADOLE had been distributing a leaflet entitled "Ten Years" recounting the activities of Israel and because the Arabs felt that readers of this piece might misunderstand and get the impression that they were praising Israel, this new leaflet is being distributed which is strongly anti-Jewish.

The leaflet indicated that powerful Jewish pressure groups had become the most influential political and economic force in American life, and are responsible for legislation breaking down all racial barriers in schools, public housing and private summer resorts. MADOLE indicated to the source that the Arabs would distribute this latest leaflet abroad.

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MADOLE stated that the United Arab Republic Office had indicated to him that GERALD E. K. SMITH had recently visited them and told them that MADOLE's organization is a veritable nest of Jewish spies.

MADOLE said the Egyptians told him that they had put SMITH on the right track by telling him that "MADOLE is one of our best friends". MADOLE said as a result SMITH is now sending him letters and literature, but MADOLE states he does not trust SMITH.

This source added that MADOLE recently had two large cartons of literature picked up at the United Arab Republic Office and he believes it is old literature. (S)(u)

T-1 indicated on August 5, 1958, that MADOLE indicated he had recently distributed 1100 copies of his latest Arab leaflet. MADOLE also indicated that the Jews are doing their utmost "to tie me up with Arab Offices claiming I'm an agent for them".

This source stated MADOLE did not indicate how he got this story but from his conversation it was apparent that someone had talked to him and he took this as an indication that the Jews are back of it.

MADOLE further stated his new National Renaissance Bulletin is being printed by CONDE MC GINLEY and will have the title "Why Are American Marines in Lebanon" and "The Sinister Forces Behind Premier Charles De Gaulle".

T-1 indicated on August 7, 1958, that he believed MADOLE's work for the Indonesians was only on one occasion inasmuch as MADOLE has not mentioned the Indonesians since May when he stated he was writing for them. (S)(u)

This source stated he believes that practically all of MADOLE's writings was for the Syrians and the Egyptians and now all of his writings is furnished to the United Arab Republic at 900 Park Avenue. (S)(u)

(1) This source was unable to indicate whether MADOLE is being paid to write these articles now, but.

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~~indicated he felt certain that MADOLE was receiving some type of aid for his work, either by direct payments or by the sale of his National Renaissance literature.~~

T-2 indicated on July 1, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE and another individual came to the United Arab Republic Delegation to the UN, 900 Park Avenue, and obtained a number of copies of a pamphlet entitled "Ten Years" from [redacted] [redacted] United Arab Republic Delegation to the UN. (S)

This source stated that [redacted] an employee in the Press Office of the United Arab Republic Delegation to the UN, previously stated that [redacted] [redacted] United Arab Republic Delegation to the UN, had given instructions that MADOLE was not to be given any type of literature. (S)

T-2 stated that [redacted] and [redacted] are presently on vacation. (S)

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APPENDIX

COMMON SENSE

It is noted that "Common Sense" published by the Educational Association of Union, New Jersey, was characterized in a report issued on December 17, 1954, by the Committee on Un-American Activities of the United States House of Representatives as a "hate group" vehicle publishing "some of the most vitriolic hate propaganda ever to come to the attention of the Committee". According to the report, "Common Sense" depicts Communism as "Judaism" and devotes its pages almost exclusively to attacks on the Jewish and to a lesser extent, the Negro minorities in our nation. Sympathy for the former Nazi regime in Germany is also injected into this propaganda.

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

On April 21, 1958, a confidential source stated that the National Renaissance Party is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949, by JAMES H. MADOLE who is in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the National Renaissance Bulletin on a monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report, dated December 17, 1954, stated "National Renaissance Party activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American."

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 8/25/58

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

~~SECRET~~SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of the report and letterhead memorandum of SA [redacted] dated and captioned as above at NY.

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This report is marked "Confidential", inasmuch as disclosure of its contents might reveal the identity of [redacted] and be prejudicial to the national defense interests. (u)

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The source used to document NRP is [redacted]

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Identity of Source	Date of Activity Or Description of Information	Date Received	Agent to Whom Furnished	File Number Where Located
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		5/13/58	SA [redacted]	[redacted]
		5/19/58	SA [redacted]	[redacted]

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Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized in the report only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

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At New York, New York

Will maintain contact with [redacted] and other established sources to attempt to develop further information regarding MADOLE's work and whether this work is being directed by a foreign principal.

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United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation
New York, New York

August 25, 1958

Re: James H. Madole

T-1 utilized in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above has furnished reliable information in the past and indicated he received his information from a source whom he termed reliable but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

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T-2 in the above-referenced report has furnished reliable information in the past.

This is loaned to you by the FBI and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

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Synopsis:

JAMES MADOLE continues to reside at 10 West 90th St., NYC, where he operates the National Renaissance Party, an anti-Negro, anti-Semitic, neo-Fascist organization. MADOLE continues to have large quantities of Arab literature which he distributes through National Renaissance Party channels. MADOLE also recently distributed anti-Red China pamphlets. MADOLE stated recently he needs nearly all of his time to work for the Arabs. No indication that MADOLE is being paid by the Arabs developed.

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DETAILS:

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T-1 advised on September 17, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party (NRP), recently indicated he intends holding a meeting of the party on October 17, 1958, at Steinway Hall, on West 57th Street, New York City. This source indicated that originally MADOLE indicated that he would not hold any public meetings of the party this year, but instead would appear as a speaker at meetings to be held by CHARLES SMITH, leader of "The Truth Seeker". MADOLE indicates now, however, that SMITH will hold a meeting at Steinway Hall on October 10, 1958, at which he, MADOLE, will be a speaker. MADOLE indicates that SMITH's meeting will be devoted to racialism and equality rather than atheism which his previous meetings were concerned with.

This source indicated that MADOLE continues to have large quantities of Arab literature at his apartment, and he states that he is very busy, and needs nearly all of his time to work for the Arabs. This source indicated that it does not appear that MADOLE is in need of funds, and MADOLE has advised that he is not going to devote his next National Renaissance Bulletin to segregation because the Arabs want him to do an article on West Germany and the Zionists. MADOLE stated that he has to get this article out in a hurry and it will be entitled "Germany - The Slave of Zionist Imperialism".

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MADOLE also indicated that this source that his NRP bulletin dealing with J. EDGAR HOOVER is entirely sold out and he is asking CONDE MC GINLEY, publisher of "Common Sense", to run off another five hundred copies of this bulletin so that he can fill requests. T-1 further stated MADOLE recently had obtained the following literature, which he stamped with the NRP stamp, and is distributing through NRP channels, as he does all Arab literature which he receives. MADOLE did not indicate where he received this literature or for what purpose he is distributing it, but it is the first instance that MADOLE has handled any

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Chinese literature. The following are the titles of this literature:

"Communism At Work In China" by STANLEY K. HORNBECK, a twelve-page booklet issued by American and Asian Educational Exchange, Incorporated, 17 Park Avenue, New York.

"Communist China" by GRAG O'DWYER, Published by the Committee of One Million (against the admission of Communist China to the United Nations).

"Communist China In Asian Affairs" by C.M. CHANG, issued by the Institute of Ethnic Studies, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

"The Republic of China", issued by Chinese News Service, 1270 Sixth Avenue, New York, dated January, 1958.

This source indicated that all of these publications are anti-Red China and MADOLE probably picked them up during his visits to some official establishment in New York City.

T-1 indicated on October 2, 1958, that MADOLE indicated his topic for the meeting at Steinway Hall on October 10, 1958, would be "Jews In Modern Times". T-1 further indicated that MADOLE is presently distributing the August, 1958, NRP bulletin, which consists of the articles entitled "Western Germany, A Slave - Colony of Zionist Imperialism" by JAMES H. MADOLE. This source added that this bulletin is anti-Semitic and deals with German reparations to the state of Israel and the reasons why the Jewish race has been driven from nearly every country of the civilized world. T-1 stated that MADOLE also had CONDE MC GINLEY print a one-page leaflet entitled "Is Anti-Jewish Feeling Justified By World History?" He

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stated that the leaflet is anti-Semitic and requests readers to subscribe to the NRP bulletin for facts on the Jewish question.

T-1 indicated on October 20, 1958, that MADOLE was called upon to speak at the "Truth Seeker" meeting at Steinway Hall, on October 10, 1958. He said that MADOLE made his usual speech concerning the Jews and how they are behind Communism. CHARLES SMITH, leader of the meeting, announced that MADOLE would be the principal speaker at the meeting of this group to be held on November 14, 1958. T-1 indicated that MADOLE stated he is now working on his next bulletin which had been delayed because of his prior commitment to the Egyptians. He said that MADOLE evidently had to write something for them and had no time until now for his own bulletin.

T-1 indicated on October 27, 1958, that MADOLE continues to operate the NRP from his apartment at 10 West 90th Street, New York City. He stated that MADOLE continues to distribute large quantities of Arab literature, but there is no indication that MADOLE is being paid by the Arabs or whether or not his activities are being directed by the Arabs.

T-2 indicated on October 23, 1958, that as far as he knows, JAMES MADOLE has not visited the United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations, 900 Park Avenue, New York City, in several months. (u)

[redacted] indicated on September 23, 1958, that MADOLE holds frequent meetings at his apartment and has a great many people visiting him. He stated, however, he knows nothing of MADOLE's activities and was unable to furnish any further information concerning him.

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COMMON SENSE

It is noted that "Common Sense", published by the Educational Association of Union, New Jersey, was characterized in a report issued on December 17, 1954, by the Committee on Un-American Activities of the United States House of Representatives as a "hate group" vehicle publishing "some of the most vitriolic hate propaganda ever to come to the attention of the Committee". According to the report "Common Sense" depicts Communism as "Judaism" and devotes its pages almost exclusively to attacks on the Jewish and to a lesser extent, the Negro minorities in our nation. Sympathy for the former Nazi regime in Germany is also injected into this propaganda.

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

On April 21, 1958, a confidential source stated that the National Renaissance Party is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949, by JAMES H. MADOLE who is in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the National Renaissance Bulletin on a monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report, dated December 17, 1954, stated "National Renaissance Party activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American".

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United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation

New York, New York
October 31, 1958

Re: James H. Madole

T-1, utilized in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at New York, has furnished reliable information in the past and indicated he received his information from a source whom he termed reliable, but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

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T-2 has furnished reliable information in the past.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 10/31/58

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
IS - EGYPT; REGISTRATION ACT

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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of the report and letterhead memorandum of SA [REDACTED] dated and captioned as above, at New York.

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New York report of SA [REDACTED], dated August 25, 1958.

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[REDACTED] made available on 9/3/58, a report dated 8/18/58, entitled "Argentina's Contribution to the State of Israel" by JAMES H. MADOLE, which was furnished to [REDACTED]. This information is not being sent out in this report because [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] and disclosure of this information might jeopardize this operation. (u)

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The New York Office has launched an intensive investigation of the National Renaissance Party in accordance with Bureau airtel 10/16/58, entitled "Bombings and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities - Racial Matters". It is believed that as a result of this investigation, additional informants will be developed concerning activities of the National Renaissance Party and of MADOLE, who will probably be able to furnish information concerning MADOLE's possible violation of the Registration Act.

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T-2 [redacted] (u)	10/23/58	SA [redacted] [redacted]	Instant report

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LEADNEW YORKAt New York, New York

Will attempt to ascertain through [redacted] and other New York sources any information concerning MADOLE's violation of the Registration Act in his dealings with Arab establishments in New York City.

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James Madole is president of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in New York City. NRP is currently under active investigation and is being considered by the Department for designation pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Madole is known to be hostile to Bureau and as recently as 5-19-58 information was received from informant that Madole planned to attack "Masters of Deceit" in a bulletin issued by NRP. We currently have active Registration Act investigation on subject based upon information that Madole obtains large quantities of propaganda from Arabic diplomatic establishments in New York City which he distributes and sells to his followers. Information in incoming New York airtel being disseminated to the Department of the Army, Department of the Navy, Department of the Air Force, as well as Criminal Division, Internal Security Division and the Civil Rights Division of the Department.

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Tics: Mr. G. C. Moore
1 - Liaison

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Date: December 10, 1958

To: Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army
The Pentagon
Washington 25, D. C.

Attention: Chief, Security Division

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: JAMES H. MADOLE
INTERNAL SECURITY - EGYPT
REGISTRATION ACT

A confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on December 5, 1958, that a meeting of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) was held on the evening of December 4, 1958, in the subject's apartment. During this meeting the subject condemned the FBI for "prosecution of the five in Atlanta" and stated that he and his group (the NRP) had already sent an unspecified sum of money to Atlanta, Georgia, for the defense of these individuals. The subject stated that these five individuals know nothing of guns or explosives and he criticized the FBI for the "pick up" of these individuals. He stated that these persons are being "persecuted" because the FBI could not get the real ones involved. The subject also stated that "Ike" has not decided what the FBI is going to do and as soon as this decision is made "Hoover" will be instructed what next to do.

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The above source also learned that a French woman who is called "Larta" was in attendance at the above meeting and stated she is going to send money on her own initiative to Atlanta, Georgia, but will not sign the letter transmitting the money.

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With regard to the IAF, another confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on April 21, 1958, that the IAF is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949 by James H. Lazzole, who is in complete control of the organization. The party's main function is the distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and the distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report dated December 17, 1954, stated that the "National Renaissance Party's" activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American.

In view of the sensitive position of our source who furnished the information contained in the first two paragraphs of this letter, it is requested that no further dissemination be made of this information without prior reference to this Bureau.

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

1 - Office of Special Investigations
Air Force

NOTE: The source of the information in paragraph 1 and 2 of this letter is [redacted] which is engaged

[redacted] In view of the highly sensitive nature of this information, instant letter is being classified "Secret." The source referred to in the third to the last paragraph of this letter is [redacted]

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James Madole

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PERMANENT SERIAL CHARGEOUT

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 12/12/58

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

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SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
IS-EGYPT

Re NY airtel 12/5/58.

A review of literature obtained by [redacted] (u)

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[redacted] revealed that the only one concerning the Synagogue bombings was the September-October 1958 National Renaissance Bulletin. This bulletin has previously been furnished to the Bureau in the case entitled "National Renaissance Party, IS-Racial Matters", Bufile 62-83296. (u)

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Miss Gandy	✓

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE

MS - EGYPT

Internal Security

[redacted] orally advised SA J. WALLACE LA PRADE on 12/5/58, that [redacted]

MADOLE "roundly" condemned the FBI for "prosecution of the five in Atlanta". He said his group has already sent an unspecified sum of money to Atlanta for their defense. The FBI was criticized for the "pick up" of the five because allegedly the five know nothing of guns or explosives. MADOLE said these five are being "persecuted" because the FBI could not get the real ones involved. MADOLE also said that "IKE" has not decided what the FBI is to definitely do and as soon as this decision is made "HOOVER" will be instructed what next to do. (u)

An unknown [redacted] said she is going to send money on her own to Atlanta but will not sign the letter. (u) FRANK N.Y.

There was mentioned [redacted] a new mailing list for Tennessee and Kentucky. The list was not produced and [redacted] The informant will make available pamphlets concerning the Synagogue Bombings [redacted] which will be furnished the Bureau. (u)

- 3 - Bureau
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_____ It will be noted that the Israelis
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REFERENCE

NY report of SA [redacted]
dated 10/31/58, at NY.

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[redacted] was used to document
the National Renaissance Party.

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Pretext interview of the subject
referred to in this report was conducted by
SA [redacted] who posed as a member of
the public who was interested in the
activities of the National Renaissance
Party.

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[redacted] made available to the
NYO on 10/31/58; a one page mimeographed
paper entitled "Is Anti-Jewish Feeling
Justified by World History," published
by the National Renaissance Party,
10 W. 90th St., NY, and a 5 page copy of

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the National Renaissance Bulletin dated August, 1958.

[redacted] also made available on 11/5/58. a letter to [redacted]
[redacted] which reads as follows: ~~(S)~~ (u)

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[It is noted that] [redacted]

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[redacted] The above information is not being set out in
this report as disclosure of this information might
jeopardize this operation. ~~(S)~~ (u)

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At New York, New York

Will continue to furnish information received from [REDACTED] and other sources concerning subject's activities in connection with possible violation of the Registration Act.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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JAMES H. MADOLE

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INTERNAL SECURITY - EGYPT;
REGISTRATION ACT

Synopsis:

JAMES MADOLE continues to reside at 10 W. 90th St., NY, where he maintains headquarters of the National Renaissance Party, an anti-Negro, anti-semitic, neo-Fascist organization. He continues to distribute Arab literature and has indicated he does so because he agrees with the Arab position. MADOLE furnished the August, 1958, National Renaissance Bulletin to an Iraqi official for reprinting and distribution in Iraq.

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DETAILS:

NY T-1 indicated on October 27, 1958, that JAMES H. MADOLE still operates the National Renaissance Party (NRP) as a one man venture and maintains no formal leadership organization.

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on October 30, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE resides in Apartment 8, 10 West 90th Street. [redacted] stated that MADOLE resides in this apartment with his mother and appears to have no regular employment but spends all of his time with the activities of the NRP which he handles out of his apartment.

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NY T-2 indicated on October 29, 1958, that [redacted]

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Information obtained from NY T-2 above is not to be made public except on issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

On October 22, 1958, JAMES MADOLE was interviewed under a suitable pretext by a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) at which time MADOLE furnished copies of the literature that he has passed out throughout the country in his role as leader of the NRP. Included in this literature were the following:

1. A pamphlet entitled, "Massacre of Arabs in Israel," by TOUFIQ TOUBI. TOUFIQ TOUBI is identified on the pamphlet as a member of the Israeli Parliament. The pamphlet concerns itself with a "massacre perpetrated at the Arab village of Kafr-Quassem inside Israel on October 29, 1956, the day Israel launched its military attack on Egypt. The front of the pamphlet bears the stamp of the NRP.

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2. A throwaway leaflet which is a biography of President GAMAL ABDEL NASSER of the United Arab Republic.

3. "Israel and the Arab States" by SYBIL EYRE CROW, published by the Iraqi Embassy, 21 Queens Gate, London S.W. 7. This pamphlet deals with the problems of settling more than a million Arab refugees. It bears the stamp of the NRP on its front.

4. An advertising throwaway captioned, "Arab Nations Support Egypt's Arms Deal." On the back this throwaway has the stamp of the NRP.

5. A booklet entitled, "Threats and Intimidations" compiled by the Egyptian Information Department, 22 Solomon Street, Cairo, Egypt. This booklet bears the stamp of the NRP on the front and deals with the intervention of the British and French Governments in Egypt, and an interpretation of Article 33 of the Charter of the United Nations (UN) with respect to that intervention in the Suez Canal area.

6. A pamphlet entitled, "The Policy That Invited Soviet Russia to the Middle East" by IZZAT TANNOUS, MD. This booklet is originated by the Palestine Arab Refugee Office, 801 Second Avenue, Room 801, New York 17, New York. It also bears the stamp of the NRP. The bottom of this booklet states that the material has been filed with the Department of Justice where the required statement of the "Palestine Arab Refugee Office," registration number 897, is available for inspection. This booklet makes the point that "the Palestine tragedy which has made one million Palestinian Arabs homeless and destitute is at the root of the grave tension that prevails today in the Middle East."

The booklet also points out that the foreign policy of the United States in the Middle East had alienated the Arab people and compelled them to turn their faces to other directions. The concluding paragraph of this booklet states,

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"It is a fact that the failure of the United States to take the lead in the implementation of United Nations resolutions -- resolutions which were of the making of the United States and which only gave the Arab refugees a fraction of their rights -- has driven a large number of the Arab people to look East for their salvation. The Soviets seized the opportunity and the tug of war is now in progress between East and West."

MADOLE, when interviewed under pretext, explained that he is distributing pro-Arab literature since he agrees with the Arab position in the Middle East. He stated that he and his organization are anti-Jewish and they feel they should distribute pro-Arab literature since both he and the Arabs are working in the same direction. He also made the statement that he was distributing literature from the Iraqi Government.

The records of the Bureau of Special Services of the New York City Police Department were checked on October 22, 1958, by SA [REDACTED]. They indicated a meeting was held at Steinway Hall, 113 West 57th Street, New York City, sponsored by CHARLES SMITH, publisher of the magazine "The Truth Seeker." This was in general a meeting of racists and most of the speakers were highly critical of the Jewish peoples. JAMES MADOLE spoke at this meeting as a representative of the NRP. His speech was entirely devoted to anti-Jewish statements. Plans were made for another general meeting at which MADOLE would be the principal speaker. This meeting was to be held on November 14, 1958, also in Steinway Hall. b6 b7C

T-1 indicated on November 15, 1958, that the subject was the main speaker at a meeting on November 14, 1958, at Steinway Hall, 113 West 57th Street, sponsored by an atheistic publication called "The Truth Seeker." He indicated that MADOLE spoke for about two hours on the general topic of anti-semitism and described President EISENHOWER as a tool of the Jews in the United States. MADOLE insinuated that the bombing of the Jewish synagogue in Atlanta, Georgia, was a plot by the Jews to raise money and to curry political support. MADOLE claimed that the present form of government

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in the United States should be replaced by a "corporate form of government" and that this step was really inevitable.

NY T-3 advised on November 20, 1958, that the subject spoke at a meeting held at Steinway Hall on November 14, 1958, in which he mentioned that he had been at a meeting which was attended by three Arabs. NY T-3 stated MADOLE did not indicate where or when this meeting took place but that he, MADOLE, had had a conversation with the Arabs concerning the Jewish question.

NY T-1 indicated on December 15, 1958, that the subject stated that he has no Arab literature but expects to have some in the next few days. MADOLE indicated that an Iraqi official in New York City had requested him to furnish the August, 1958, National Renaissance Bulletin to the Iraqi Government who desired to reprint it and distribute it in Iraq. NY T-1 indicated that this bulletin pertained to Zionist imperialism in Western Germany and had been written by the subject.

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APPENDIX

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY:

On April 21, 1958, a confidential source stated that the National Renaissance Party is an anti-semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949 by JAMES H. MADOLE, who is in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the National Renaissance Bulletin on a monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report, dated December 17, 1954, stated "National Renaissance Party activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American."

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United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation

New York, New York
December 24, 1958

Re: James H. Madole

NY T-1 utilized in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, has furnished reliable information in the past and indicated he received his information from a source whom he termed reliable but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

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NY T-2 was in a position to furnish reliable information.

NY T-3 has not furnished sufficient information to determine his reliability.

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To: SAC, New York

Director, FBI (105-52256)

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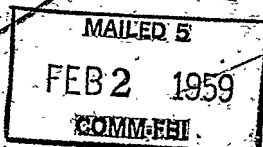
ReBuairtel 1-30-59. In intensifying this investigation, you must insure that sufficient personnel is assigned to effectively accomplish objectives of this case and to insure that comprehensive report is received at Bureau within 30 days of receipt of this communication. Close supervision should be afforded to see that this matter is vigorously pursued and promptly resolved. Data secured thus far indicates Madole is distributing literature he secures from various Arabic establishments in New York City. Objective here is to establish whether or not he is acting at order, request or under direction of foreign government. This is Registration Act aspect and necessity to develop witnesses and competent evidence cannot be stressed too strongly in order to present facts upon which Department of Justice can make decision as to action. Corollary objective is to obtain any data indicating foreign government in U. S., while not ordering, requesting or directing his activities, may be encouraging his distribution of literature to accomplish its own ends. If substantial data is developed of this type, Bureau will consider calling facts to attention of State Department to determine whether State Department protest might be warranted.

Intensified handling of this case should be carefully planned. Thorough review of all facts developed to date should be made to determine most logical investigative steps to be taken to obtain evidence desired. For example, it has been noted that much data has been secured from [redacted]. It is essential that this information be thoroughly reviewed

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(U) (S) with the purpose of pressing this source for facts susceptible to verification and for names of persons who might be cooperative in furnishing information of evidentiary nature. Thorough study should be made of existing source, contact and informant coverage among racial and hate groups [as well as in diplomatic establishments involved] to thoroughly exploit potential to acquire data in this case. Pertinent data, however, when received from source who cannot serve as witness should be subject of intensified inquiry to develop admissible data wherever possible.

(u) (S) In the course of investigation in the event you receive any data indicating persons other than Madole are possibly acting as agents of [Arabic diplomatic establishments] in distributing "hate literature" and propaganda, you should initiate separate cases, advise Bureau and give continuous and preferred attention.

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To: SAC, New York (105-6129)

From: Director, FBI (105-52256)

JAMES H. MADOLE, INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC,
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

Your attention is directed to series of articles which appeared in the "New York Daily News" from 1-20--24-59 by David Burk entitled "Peddling Hate in America: Egypt's Nasser" in which the activities of the subject in distribution of Arab literature are highlighted.

You are instructed to immediately intensify instant investigation in order to develop competent evidence that subject is actually acting as agent of Arab States in distributing Arab literature which would create a legally enforceable obligation for him to register under provisions of Foreign Agents Registration Act.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: January 29, 1959

FROM : Mr. S. B. Donahoe

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

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A Washington Capital News Service release 1-29-59 reflected the Jewish War Veterans asked President Eisenhower that date to have the FBI look into reports the United Arab Republic (UAR) is contributing to the support of "hate literature" directed against Jews in this country. The request was made by [redacted] (actual name is [redacted]) of St. Louis, the [redacted] who said he had no independent information regarding distribution of "hate literature" in this country but had read news stories reporting such literature was being financed in part by UAR. The Director inquired as to what we know about this.

Although [redacted] did not mention source of news stories, the above undoubtedly refers to series of articles in "New York Daily News" from 1-20 to 24-59 written by David Burk entitled "Peddling Hate in America: Egypt's Nasser." In these articles Burk puts finger on Arabs for fomenting much of anti-Jewish acts perpetrated by "hate" groups in United States by alleging anti-Jewish literature produced by Arabs has been given to Americans active in "racist" and "hate" campaigns against Jews for distribution. James H. Madole, head of the National Renaissance Party (NRP), specifically was mentioned in this regard.

NRP is a anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in New York City which is subject of present security-type investigation and presently under consideration by Department pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Madole, founder and leader of NRP, is presently subject of Registration Act investigation to ascertain if he is engaged in activities on behalf of UAR and other countries requiring his registration as foreign agent. Our Registration Act investigation instituted 11-14-56 on basis of information received from reliable source [redacted] that he had become factor in distribution of Arab propaganda in New York area, a large amount of which allegedly was furnished by

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Re: James H. Madole
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official of Egyptian Delegation to United Nations. This same source subsequently furnished considerable information reflecting receipt of Arab anti-Jewish literature by Madole from UAR and other Arab establishments which he distributed to his followers in NRP. This case was referred to Internal Security Division of Department 4-25-58 for opinion as to whether Madole's activities required his registration pursuant to provisions of Registration Act. On 5-27-58 Department advised although it may be inferred from large amount of Arab literature handled by Madole and his frequent contacts with Arab officials that he is acting as agent of Arab States, there is no evidence he is acting at order, request or under direction of foreign government to create a legally enforceable obligation to register. We reopened this investigation 7-11-58 upon receipt of information subject was writing articles for Indonesian Government and since that date we have been attempting to secure competent evidence Madole is acting as agent for Indonesia, UAR, or any other Arab country. Our investigation reflects he continues to distribute pro-Arab literature and when interviewed under pretext 10-22-58 stated he distributes such literature since he agrees with Arab position in Middle East and since he is anti-Jewish. Copies of our investigative reports concerning Madole have been furnished State Department as well as Department of Justice.

ACTION:

If you approve, attached airtel will be sent to New York calling attention to recent series of articles in "New York Daily News" and instructing that efforts be intensified during current Registration Act investigation to develop competent evidence that subject is actually acting as agent of Arab States in distribution of Arab literature so as to create a legally enforceable obligation for him to register under provisions of Foreign Agents Registration Act.

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This has certainly been dragging. We should intensify it & try to get it out of his mind.

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(HATE LITERATURE)

THE JEWISH WAR VETERANS ASKED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TODAY TO HAVE THE FBI LOOK INTO REPORTS THAT THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC IS CONTRIBUTING TO THE SUPPORT OF "HATE LITERATURE" DIRECTED AGAINST JEWS IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE REQUEST WAS MADE BY JOHN SHAIKEWITZ OF ST. LOUIS, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE JEWISH WAR VETERANS.

SHAIKEWITZ SAID HE GOT THE IMPRESSION THE PRESIDENT WOULD REFER THE REQUEST TO THE FBI.

HE SAID DISTRIBUTION OF "HATE LITERATURE" IN THIS COUNTRY HAD INCREASED SHARPLY IN THE RECENT MONTHS. HE SAID HE HAD NO INDEPENDENT INFORMATION, BUT HAD READ NEWSPAPER STORES REPORTING THAT ANTI-SEMITIC LITERATURE WAS BEING FINANCED IN PART BY THE U.A.R.

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Memo Donahoe
 To Belmont
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What do we know
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February 6, 1959

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JAMES H. MADOLE
INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

SUMMARY

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JAMES H. MADOLE

In connection with your intensified investigation of the subject, a review of the captioned case file at the Bureau reflects the following investigative leads which should be covered promptly in order to develop evidence to resolve this matter:

It appears that the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith may possibly have information concerning subject's activities, especially in view of that organization's interest in individuals and other organizations which promote anti-Semitism. You are, therefore, instructed to contact an appropriate official of the Anti-Defamation League for any pertinent information concerning the subject with emphasis being placed upon ascertaining identities of individuals who may be able to furnish evidence and testify to such regarding subject's possibly acting as an agent of a foreign government in the distribution of "hate literature." Bufiles reflect that officials of the Anti-Defamation League are well disposed toward the Bureau and have been in frequent contact with the Bureau since the recent bombings of Jewish synagogues. In the event there is no specific official at the Anti-Defamation League who is in contact with your office, it is suggested that you contact [redacted] concerning this matter. [redacted] has been in contact with the Bureau during the past several months relative to the Bureau's activities regarding the above-mentioned bombings and has indicated an approval of the Bureau's investigative position therewith.

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Report of SA [redacted] dated 4/2/57 at New York concerning instant investigation indicates on page 5 that [redacted] advised that a person named [redacted] had "recently" visited Madole and indicated to him that he was interested in Arabic literature, and asked Madole to

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take him to the "Egyptian office" in order to get some money from the Egyptians. It was also indicated that, according to [redacted] Madole believed [redacted] to be an agent provocateur and had probably been sent to infiltrate the National Renaissance Party (NRP) by [redacted]

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[redacted] You should make every effort to identify [redacted] and if your files reflect no reasons to the contrary, interview him for information pertinent to this investigation.

In the same regard, you should contact [redacted] mentioned above, for any information he may have which will assist in developing evidence to resolve the Registration Act aspect of instant investigation, especially names of persons who can furnish competent evidence. Bufiles reflect [redacted] was subject of Espionage - Israel investigation in 1954 (New York file 65-16578) based on allegation that [redacted] had hired two self-admitted members of an Israeli intelligence organization that operated in New York City from 1947 to 1948 to conduct an investigation of one Benjamin Freedman in order to determine his contacts and connections with various Arabic officials. [redacted] was interviewed 3/19/54 in connection with that investigation at which time he admitted hiring investigators for this purpose. It is also noted [redacted] was interviewed 6/16/54 regarding his connection with the NRP, and the results of this interview are contained in the report of SA [redacted] dated 3/25/55 concerning the NRP. New York file 105-6112. Bufiles also reflect that [redacted] has been interviewed on a number of occasions by your office regarding information furnished by the Anti-Nazi League. It is further noted information furnished by your office in the past reflects several anonymous communications as well as sources of unknown reliability have characterized [redacted] as either a communist or a communist sympathizer; however, these allegations have not been substantiated by the investigation of [redacted]. Despite [redacted] background, it is possible he may possess information pertinent to this investigation in view of his connection with the Anti-Nazi League and his past history of attempting to infiltrate Madole's organization, the NRP. You should, therefore,

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interview him solely for the purpose of obtaining information pertinent to instant investigation.

With regard to other possible leads, your attention is directed to page 3 of the report of SA [] dated 6/3/57 concerning captioned investigation. Information is set forth therein that [] advised on 4/5/57 that Frederick Weiss, the former financial backer of the NRP, had indicated he was angry with Madole because Madole refused to cooperate with him. Weiss indicated that he was thinking of writing an article on Madole to the effect that Madole has been regularly receiving money from an agent of a Jewish organization. [] indicated that the agent referred to by Weiss was [] an agent for the Anti-Defamation League in New York City. Bufiles reflect [] was former subject of Registration Act investigation based on allegation he was representing French and Saar Governments (refer to your file 97-1284). It is noted he was interviewed in connection with that Registration Act investigation on 2/28/55 and as a result of admissions made by him, the Department solicited his registration, and he finally registered on 8/26/57 as an agent of the French Government, and also indicated at the time of his registration that his services and activities on behalf of the French Government or any other government had been terminated. During the course of that Registration Act investigation, information was developed that as of 5/17/57 [] was working also for the Anti-Defamation League, and Bufiles reflect that he has worked in that capacity for many years. You are, therefore, instructed to immediately interview [] for any information he may possess pertinent to instant investigation as well as the names of other persons who may have information of evidentiary value concerning this matter.

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With regard to Frederick Weiss, mentioned above, your attention is directed to report of SA [] dated 1/2/58 entitled "Frederick Charles Ferdinand Weiss; Racial Matters," your file 100-111893 which reflected results of interview with Weiss 12/30/58 as to his knowledge of individuals or groups connected with racial bombings. Although Weiss was reluctant to furnish information concerning individuals unless he felt they had actually

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broken the law, he stated he would cooperate with the FBI, if possible, and would be helpful to the best of his ability. Accordingly, you should recontact Weiss and interview him concerning subject's activities along same lines as set out above for other interviews.

In addition to above interviews to secure competent evidence regarding the registration aspect of this case, your attention is also directed to the necessity of obtaining any other data indicating foreign governments may be encouraging subject's activities to accomplish their own ends, although it may not be possible to develop evidence that such government is directing the subject's activities. (In this regard, it is observed that the cover pages of the report of SA [redacted] dated 12/24/58 in instant case sets forth a letter made available by [redacted] on 11/5/58 which was written by [redacted]

[redacted] It was stated that information in this letter was not being set out in the report as disclosure might jeopardize [redacted] in which [redacted] is engaged. The Bureau agrees that no information should be set forth in this type of investigation which may jeopardize a [redacted] such as the one in which [redacted] is engaged; however, it is felt that careful and intelligent paraphrasing of certain information received by [redacted] can be handled in such a manner that there is no chance of jeopardizing the operation. For example, the information referred to above, in the cover pages of SA [redacted] report of 12/24/58 could be paraphrased along the following lines without jeopardizing the informant's identity or the operation itself. (U)

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"NYT" has advised that, according to Madole, he (Madole) has been in contact with [redacted]

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Include the above information from [redacted] in your next report together with any other information furnished in the past by [redacted] concerning Madole which (U)

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Likewise can be paraphrased and would not jeopardize the [redacted]. Of course, if such information does not lend itself to paraphrasing and reporting without running the risk of jeopardizing the [redacted] it should not be set forth in reports concerning the subject at this time. (u) (U)

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(u) (S) In addition to the above leads, you are also instructed to carefully review your investigation concerning the NRP in order to ascertain the identities of members of that organization who may possibly have knowledge of subject's alleged activities on the behalf of Arabic official establishments. Such individuals should be interviewed unless your files contain reasons dictating otherwise. Also, when submitting the results of this investigation in comprehensive report as instructed by referenced airtel, you should also submit your recommendations as to an interview with Madole himself.

NOTE: Captioned individual is the head of the NRP, an Anti-Semitic, Anti-Negro and Neo-Fascist group in New York City which is subject of security-type investigation and presently under consideration by Department pursuant to Executive Order 10450. By airtel 2/2/59 New York was instructed to intensify this investigation in order to develop competent evidence to prove the allegation that subject is acting as an agent for Arabic diplomatic establishments in New York City or other governments. New York has been instructed to submit a comprehensive report within 30 days of the receipt of referenced airtel and vigorously pursue investigation. The purpose of this letter is to set forth possible leads in order to accomplish objectives of this investigation. In reviewing instant investigation, it was noted report of SA [redacted] dated 6/3/57 in captioned matter reflects [redacted] advised 4/29/57 that Madole had indicated he was running out of Egyptian literature and could no longer trust Joseph Budden to go to the Egyptian office to obtain it for him. Interview with Budden would appear to be a most logical investigative step; however, our files reflect he was arrested 10/6/44 on an attempted robbery - disorderly conduct charge and on 7/6/51 arrested

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 2/13/59

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
IS - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
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WFO is requested to check the Foreign Agents Registration Section, Department of Justice, for any record of subject or the National Renaissance Party being registered as an agent of a foreign principal or as a propaganda agent for a foreign principal.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 2/25/59

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

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SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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Bureau by airtels dated 1/30/59 and 2/2/59 and letter dated 2/6/59, requested the NYO to intensify investigation of the subject to obtain evidence and witnesses concerning MADOLE's Registration Act violation.

Persons interviewed and information available indicate that JOSEPH RUDDEN is the person closest to MADOLE who might be able to furnish information regarding MADOLE's activities.

It is noted that RUDDEN has been investigated because of his membership in the National Renaissance Party which JAMES MADOLE heads.

NY report of SA [redacted] dated 2/5/59, NY file 100-42957, indicated that RUDDEN resides at 304 E. 83rd St., NYC, and has no regular employment. He has been associated with the National Renaissance Party since 1952 and is alleged to be a homosexual and heavy drinker.

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Although it is not anticipated that RUDDEN could be used as a witness, it is believed that he may be able to furnish information pertinent to this investigation and aid in securing usable evidence and potential witnesses against MADOLE.

Therefore, Bureau permission is requested to interview JOSEPH RUDDEN concerning any knowledge he may have of MADOLE's connection with Arab countries. *CRW*

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Authority granted for interview with Joseph Rudden. In view of Rudden's background, this interview should be conducted by two agents, one of whom is experienced in Arab matters and the interview should be conducted in accordance with existing Bureau instructions regarding interviews with security subjects. Handle this interview promptly and give expeditious attention to resulting leads developed in accordance with instructions set forth in Bureau airtel 2-2-59 regarding intensification of this investigation. Results of your interview with Rudden should be set forth in report form and included in that report should be background information concerning Rudden's previous arrest record and allegations indicating him to be a homosexual and an alcoholic.

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(4) NOTE: Subject is the head of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-fascist group in New York City. By airtel 2-2-59 New York was instructed to intensify this Registration Act investigation in order to develop competent evidence to prove allegation subject is acting as agent for Arabic diplomatic establishments in distribution of anti-Jewish literature. By letter 2-6-59 we set forth possible leads for New York to cover in order to accomplish objectives of this investigation. At that time interview was considered with Joseph Rudden since investigation reflected that a source on 4-29-57 advised that Rudden in the past had been to Egyptian establishments in order to obtain literature for Madole. We did not instruct New York to interview Rudden since our files reflected Rudden was arrested 10-6-44 on attempted robbery-disorderly conduct charge and on 7-6-51 arrested for attempted grand larceny and placed on indefinite probation from 10-18-51 running to maximum of 4-17-54. Our files also reflected allegations Rudden is homosexual and an alcoholic. New York by incoming letter 2-25-59 points out above derogatory data regarding Rudden but requests authority to interview him as he is

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considered to be person closest to subject and information from him may be of use in developing potential witnesses. Upon reconsideration, it is felt that if we are going to develop evidence against Madole we must necessarily interview some of Madole's own crowd such as Rudden despite their unsavory background.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

DATE: February 16, 1959

FROM : *JEM* Director, FBI

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SUBJECT: ARAB PARTICIPATION AND INFLUENCE IN
DISTRIBUTION OF HATE LITERATURE IN
THE UNITED STATES
IS - MIDDLE EAST

A series of five articles appeared in the "New York Daily News" from 1/20-24/59 written by David Burk entitled "Peddling Hate in America: Egypt's Nasser." In these articles Burk accuses the Arabs (particularly President Nasser of the United Arab Republic) for fomenting much of anti-Jewish acts perpetrated by hate groups in United States by alleging anti-Jewish literature prepared by the Arabs has been given to Americans active in racist and hate campaigns for distribution. The articles further point out that some of these racists have been in contact with Arab officials and establishments in this country and some of their publications have contained pro-Nasser propaganda, the implication being that such propaganda was furnished by the Arabs. One Photostat each of these articles is enclosed for the use of each recipient office.

These articles specifically name certain persons as being leaders of a hate corps acting in behalf of President Nasser of the United Arab Republic in spreading anti-Jewish literature in this country through their publications or their activities. The names of these individuals together with the identities of the offices of origin of investigation concerning them or their publications are:

- (1) James H. Madole: head of the National Renaissance Party, New York City.

New York is office of origin of current investigation entitled "National Renaissance Party, IS - X," New York file 105-6112 and also case entitled "James H. Madole, Registration Act - United Arab Republic," New York file 105-6129.

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Re: Arab Participation and Influence in
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the United States

- (2) Benjamin H. Freedman
960 Park Avenue
New York 28, New York

Freedman publishes periodically publication entitled "Fact for Fact." New York's attention directed to your file entitled "Fact for Fact, IS - X," New York file 105-23983.

- (3) Merwin K. Hart - Bufiles reflect Hart is president of the National Economic Council, Inc., 7501 Empire State Building, New York City, and this organization prepares publication entitled "Economic Council Letter." New York is office of origin of former investigation entitled "Merwin Kimball Hart, was; IS - X," New York file 100-21056.

- (4) Charles Smith - Bufiles reflect Smith heads the Truth Seeker Company, Inc., 38 Park Row, New York 8, New York. No investigation has been conducted concerning this organization; however, our files show it to be an avowedly atheistic group which publishes material designed to further the cause of atheism in this country. New York's file number not known.

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Baltimore's attention is directed to Baltimore airtel 7/24/58 entitled: "; Information Concerning; (Alleged Picketing of Israeli Embassy, Washington, D. C., 7/27/58)" which refers to same person mentioned in the above series of articles in "New York Daily News."

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- (6) Gerald B. Winrod - Bufiles reflect Winrod is deceased but formerly was editor of "The Defender Magazine," which is published in Wichita, Kansas. Kansas City is office of origin of case entitled "The Defender Magazine; IS - X," Kansas City file 61-163.
- (7) [redacted]
[redacted] "The American Nationalist," a monthly publication of organization of same name located at Inglewood, California, Los Angeles' attention directed to case entitled "The American Nationalist; IS - X," Los Angeles file 100-44603.
- (8) Gerald L. K. Smith - Bufiles show he is Director of Christian Nationalist Crusade whose main publication is "The Cross and the Flag." Los Angeles' attention directed to case entitled "Christian Nationalist Crusade, aka; Racial Matters," Los Angeles file 100-7945.
- (9) [redacted]
- (10) Conde McGinley - Bufiles indicate McGinley is head of the Christian Educational Association (CEA), Union, New Jersey, which is publisher of "Common Sense." Newark is office of origin of pending IS - X investigation concerning the CEA, Newark file 105-1910.

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(11) George Lincoln Rockwell
6512 Williamsburg Boulevard
Arlington, Virginia

Bufiles reflect Rockwell was suspect
in connection with the bombing of the Jewish
Temple at Atlanta, Georgia, on 10/12/58. WFO's
attention referred to WFO file 100-34886
entitled "George Lincoln Rockwell, Information
Concerning," Richmond's file number not known.

In order to ascertain the extent of Arab participation
and influence in the distribution of hate literature in the
United States, a file has been opened bearing instant caption.
Each office is instructed to make a complete and thorough
review of its files concerning the above individuals and
publications published by those persons located in their
respective divisions in order to locate all information
which may indicate Arab influence, associations or connection
in any way with above persons or their publications. You
should be particularly alert for any information indicating
that articles prepared by the Arabs or constituting Arab
propaganda are published in any of the publications. You
should also be alert for all information showing contacts on
the part of the above-mentioned racists with Arab officials
or diplomatic establishments in the United States. In
addition to a thorough file review, you should also contact
established sources and informants for any information they
may have in this regard. All leads developed therefrom
should be afforded thorough and intensive investigation. The
results of your efforts in connection with above should be
set forth in detail, properly documented as to source, in
report form under instant caption and submitted within 30
days from receipt of this letter.

Object of this file is to compile a complete
picture of this particular situation and to effect a definite
separation of this investigation, for report purposes, from
any past or present investigations of these individuals, their
organizations and their publications. This will eliminate
reporting of extraneous data in connection with this case.
The New York Office is designated as office of origin.

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Reports in this case should be designed to provide a well-documented picture of the background of the individual involved, the nature and extent of his participation in distribution of hate literature, the allegations in the news articles indicating his connections or associations with the Arabs, any prior data available in files on this point, and results of investigation to determine extent of participation and influence in or control of his activities by Arabs. Reports should be planned and coordinated so that Newark Office report, for example, will be restricted to data regarding Conde McGinley. In some offices several individuals will be involved and report should be broken down according to individuals. All offices should bear in mind in connection with interviews conducted as to whether persons being interviewed can furnish information regarding individuals in other offices and promptly furnish such data to appropriate field offices for inclusion in reports prepared by them.

In the event recipient offices are aware of other individuals or publications which allegedly are being used by or cooperating with Arabs in distributing hate literature, such information should also be set forth in these reports.

In any instance where data is developed or available indicating possibility of Registration Act violation separate cases should be opened promptly aimed at obtaining evidence and the investigation should be given continuous and preferred attention. Bureau should be advised immediately when case is opened. Concise summary of data developed in such individual case, carefully documented as to source, should also be reported in this control file.

With regard to the individuals mentioned as racists in the "New York Daily News" articles as set forth above, the recipient offices may confine their file reviews to those persons and publications located in their respective divisions with the exception of the Washington Field Office and New York Office. The latter two offices are instructed to review their files and contact appropriate sources concerning each of those individuals and publications inasmuch as Arabic diplomatic establishments with which those persons may have been in contact are located in Washington, D. C., and New York City. In addition, WFO and New York should thoroughly

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review information obtained through coverage on Arabic diplomatic establishments for any data pertinent to this study. New York should also contact Customs to ascertain if any bulk shipments of Arab propaganda have been observed and to whom such shipments were designated.

Give this matter your continuous and prompt attention and make certain 30-day deadline is met.

NOTE:

Cover memorandum prepared Donahoe to Belmont re same subject dated 2-13-59 by GCM:prd.

EXTRA YELLOW FILE COPIES:

- 1 - 62-102412 (Fact for Fact)*
- 1 - 100-128996 (Hart)*
- 1 - 105-7906 (Truth Seeker)*
- 1 - 62-83296 (National Renaissance Party)*
- ① - 105-52256 (Madole)*
- 1 - 40-49275 [redacted]*
- 1 - 65-4832 (Winrod)*
- 1 - 105-22921 [redacted]*
- 1 - 62-43818 (Christian Nationalist Crusade)*
- 1 - 105-10091 (Williams Intelligence Summary)*
- 1 - 105-9621 (McGinley)*
- 1 - 105-70374 (Rockwell)*

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 3/2/59

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-20931)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
IS - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
RA - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

ReNYlet dated 2/13/59 requesting WFO to check the files of the Foreign Agents Registration Section, Department of Justice, for any record of the subject or the National Renaissance Party.

On 2/24/59 [] Registration Section, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, advised the files of that office contained no registration for the subject or the National Renaissance Party as an agent for a foreign principal or as a propaganda agent for a foreign principal. RUC

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Madole is head of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic and anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in New York City which is presently under consideration by Department pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Madole is subject of current Registration Act investigation aimed at ascertaining if distribution of anti-Jewish literature being done at direction of Arab foreign principals. Information in attached airtel being furnished Internal Security Division of Department.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 2/27/59

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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A New York source advised on 1/21/57, that an individual named [redacted] was in contact with JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party, Neo-Fascist, Anti-Negro, Anti-Semitic group in NYC. [redacted] indicated he was a good friend of [redacted] of Chicago and [redacted] of New York. [redacted] was described as [redacted] and may also have used the name [redacted].

The NYO is attempting to identify [redacted] with a view toward interviewing him regarding MADOLE's connection with Arab Governments. [redacted] was interviewed by the NYO on 2/25/59 and could not identify [redacted].

It is noted that [redacted] is known to have been active in nationalist organizations in the past in the Chicago area particularly the Realpolitical Association.

Chicago is requested to review its files concerning [redacted] and other pertinent files in an effort to identify [redacted]. This matter should receive expeditious attention in view of Bureau instructions to intensify subject investigation.

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To: SAC, New York (105-61²⁹)
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From: Director, FBI (105-52256)

JAMES H. MADOLE
IS - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

Re report of SA [] dated 2-27-59
and reBulet 3-5-59.

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You are instructed to complete all investigation in captioned case and submit report within 20 days of receipt of this airtel. New York will also submit recommendation as to interview with subject at time of submission of report.

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NOTE: Subject is head of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in New York City. By airtel 2-2-59 New York was instructed to intensify captioned Registration Act investigation in order to develop competent evidence to prove allegation subject is acting as an agent for Arabic diplomatic establishments by distributing anti-Jewish literature. New York was instructed by airtel 2-2-59 to submit comprehensive report within 30 days. New York submitted report dated 2-27-59 which set forth additional leads to be covered and by letter 3-5-59 we granted New York authority to interview Joseph Rudden, a cohort of Madole at the NRP. Chicago also has a pending lead in this case. In order to bring this case to conclusion, 20-day deadline in this case for completion of investigation is being set and New York being instructed to submit recommendation for interview with subject as it appears that will be a logical investigative step. Upon completion of all investigation, this matter will be submitted to the Department for an opinion.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52259)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT : JAMES H. MADOLE

Internal Security - IS-UAR, United Arab Republic
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Registration Act

Bureau of Special Services

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[redacted] BSS, NYCPD, advised on 2/28/59, that an unknown man entered the subject's apartment at 10 West 90th Street, at 11:00 p.m., on 2/27/59, and after engaging the subject in political discussion for several hours, he displayed a pistol and stated he had come to kill the subject. Unknown man then tied up subject, locked the subject's mother, GRACE MADOLE in the bathroom and took \$40 in cash as well as the mailing list of the National Renaissance Party, which the subject operates from this apartment.

Subject advised NYCPD he does not know identity or motive of the assailant.

NYCPD actively investigating case, and the NYO will maintain close liaison.

[redacted] advised on 2/28/59, that he knew of robbery of subject, but could furnish no information as to identity of person responsible.

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Bureau will be advised of any pertinent information received by the NYO.

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1 - Mr. Moore

Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security Division

March 5, 1959

Director, FBI

JAMES H. MADOLE
INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

Reference is made to previous communications from this Bureau to the Internal Security Division concerning the captioned subject.

Information was received on February 28, 1959, from the New York City Police Department that an unknown man entered the subject's apartment at 10 West 90th Street, New York City, at approximately 11 P. M. on February 27, 1959, and after having engaged the subject in a political discussion for several hours, he displayed a pistol and stated that he had come to kill the subject. This unknown man then tied up the subject, locked the subject's mother, Grace Madole, in the bathroom and took \$40 in cash as well as the mailing list of the National Renaissance Party, which the subject operates from this apartment. The subject advised the New York City Police Department that he does not know the identity or the motive of his assailant. The New York City Police Department is actively investigating this matter.

The above is furnished for the information of the Internal Security Division and any additional pertinent information will be made available immediately upon receipt.

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Note: Subject is the head of the National Renaissance Party, an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Facist Group in New York City which is subject of security-type investigation and presently under consideration by Department pursuant to Executive Order 10450. We currently have Registration Act investigation concerning subject aimed at determining whether subject is acting as an agent of a foreign principal in distributing anti-Jewish literature which he allegedly receives from Arab Diplomatic establishments.

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Reporting Office NEW YORK	Office of Origin NEW YORK	Date 2/27/59	Investigative Period 12/29/58 - 2/18/59
TITLE OF CASE JAMES H. MADOLE		Report made by SA [REDACTED]	Typed By: lgh
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Report of SA [REDACTED], dated 12/24/58,
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Bureau airtels, dated 1/30/59 and 2/2/59.
Bulet, dated 2/6/59.

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[REDACTED] was used to document the NATIONAL
RENAISSANCE PARTY.

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Physical surveillance of the subject was conducted
from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on 2/10 - 13/59, and no significant
activity was noted. Names of the agents conducting these
surveillances are available in the sub file containing physical
surveillance logs.

Approved <i>[Signature]</i>	Special Agent in Charge	Do not write in spaces below	
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A mail cover was maintained on the subject during December, 1958, and January, 1959, in connection with the investigation of the NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY, and no significant contact was noted for the subject.

Consideration was given to establishing a trash cover on the subject's apartment, however, interview of the superintendent at 10 West 90th Street revealed that the subject personally handles his own trash, and there is no possibility of obtaining any information in this matter.

Information received from [redacted] concerning the subject was not set out specifically by date and item in this report, inasmuch as it was felt that if such information was obtained by an unauthorized person, it would result in disclosing the identity of [redacted], who is being utilized by the NYO in an extremely delicate [redacted] (S) (X) (U)

FREDRICK WEISS advised during his interview on 2/17/59, that [redacted] is presently in Cuba and expected to return to the US in March. (S) (X) (U)

INFORMANTS

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Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

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At New York, New York

1. Will interview [redacted] upon his return to New York in March.

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2. Will interview [redacted] Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League, New York City.

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3. Will contact [redacted] upon his return to the US, after 2/23/59. (X) (u)

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4. Will interview JOSEPH RUDDEN upon receipt of Bureau permission.

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5. Will attempt to identify [redacted] and interview him, if no reason exists to the contrary.

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6. Will attempt to identify [redacted] and consider the advisability of interviewing him.

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7. Will submit recommendations regarding interview of the subject upon completion of the above investigation.

CLASSIFICATION

This report is classified "~~Secret~~" inasmuch as it contains information received from [redacted] who is being utilized in an extremely delicate [redacted] disclosure of which would be prejudicial to the defense interests of the United States. (X) ~~(S)~~ (U)

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TITLE:

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CHARACTER:

INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC;
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SYMOPSIS:

JAMES H. MADOLE continues to reside at 10 West 90th St., NYC, with his mother, GRACE MADOLE, and is presently unemployed. Sources indicate that MADOLE has received Arab literature in the past which he stamped with the name of the NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY and which he sells or distributes with NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY literature. [An informant stated that MADOLE, during 1958, was in contact with HASHIM HILLI, Consul General of Iraq in NYC and furnished him with NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY literature and written reports on Jewish fund raising activities and his recommendations of firms and individuals to be placed on the Arab blacklist. Sources advise that there is no information indicating that MADOLE's activities are being directed by any foreign government.]

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DETAILS:

I. Information Concerning MADOLE's Residence, Employment, and Background

NY T-1 indicated on January 28, 1959, that JAMES MADOLE continues to reside at 10 West 90th Street with his mother, GRACE MADOLE, and continues to operate the NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY (NRP) from this address, but is otherwise unemployed.

Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation observed JAMES H. MADOLE in the vicinity of his residence at 10 West 90th Street on February 10 through 13, 1959, and it was apparent from his activities that he is not regularly employed.

[redacted] 10 West 90th Street, advised Special Agent [redacted] on February 17, 1959, that JAMES MADOLE still resides in Apartment 8 at this address with his mother. She stated that MADOLE is usually in his apartment during the day and does not go to any regular employment although his mother appears to be regularly employed. She stated the subject and his mother usually keep to themselves and are not friendly with any other occupants of this building. She stated that she was unable to furnish any further information regarding MADOLE's activities or those of the NRP.

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II. Information Concerning MADOLE's Activities with Arab Countries

NY T-1 indicated on December 29, 1958, that JAMES MADOLE recently displayed a booklet which he stated he obtained at the Soviet Consulate in New York City. This booklet concerned information about the good treatment which the Muslims received in the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. MADOLE stated that the Iraqi officials had telephoned the Russians and advised them it was all right for MADOLE to obtain any literature there which he wants. MADOLE added that he has been going to the Russian Consulate for booklets and literature.

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NY T-1 advised on January 23, 1959, that MADOLE indicated recently that he has not received any new Arab literature in recent weeks.

NY T-1 indicated on January 28, 1959, that MADOLE indicated on January 28, 1959, that MADOLE held a meeting of the NRP in his apartment on January 22, 1959. He stated there were fourteen people present which was a larger group than usually attends these Thursday night meetings. He attributes this to the series of articles appearing recently in "The New York Daily News", which mentioned MADOLE and his connection with the Arab countries. This source stated that it appeared that due to these articles "agents" were being sent to visit MADOLE and obtain information. NY T-1 explained that these "agents" have been employed in the past by several Jewish organizations in New York City and by various newspapers to obtain information concerning activities of the NRP.

NY T-1 advised on February 13, 1959, that he has no recent information regarding contacts of MADOLE with official Arab establishments or any information that MADOLE's activities are being directed by any foreign government. He added that he has no current information that MADOLE or any other individuals are acting as agents of Arab diplomatic establishments in the distribution of "hate literature" and propaganda.

This informant stated that MADOLE operates the NRP to suit himself, trusts no one and apparently is being influenced by no one in connection with its operation. He stated that MADOLE confides in no member of the NRP and the only individual who has had any close association with MADOLE during the past years is JOSEPH RUDDEN. He stated that RUDDEN formerly accompanied MADOLE when he visited the various Arab establishments to obtain literature.

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NY T-2, who has knowledge of certain activities and individuals at the United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations, indicated on February 11, 1959, he had no information indicating that JAMES MADOLE is being ordered or directed by the United Arab Republic or any other foreign government or that the United Arab Republic is encouraging MADOLE's distribution of literature to accomplish its own ends. (S) (X) (U)

NY T-3 advised on February 4, 1959, that he has not observed JAMES MADOLE at the United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations, 900 Park Avenue for approximately one year. He stated that, to the best of his knowledge, MADOLE is not welcome at the United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations and no literature has been given to MADOLE in some time. He stated he could furnish no information indicating that MADOLE is acting at the order, request or under the direction of any foreign government. (S) (X) (U)

This source stated that ABDUL HASSAN, Attache, Information Officer, United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations, was recalled to the United Arab Republic in the summer of 1958, because of the furor caused by HASSAN denying on the television program "Nightbeat" that he had ever addressed a meeting of the NRP, and the subsequent showing on the program of a photograph of HASSAN addressing a meeting of the NRP. This source stated that after HASSAN returned to the United States he issued instructions to the secretaries at the United Arab Republic Delegation that no literature was to be given MADOLE and MADOLE was not to be permitted to go to the Press Section of the United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations. (S) (X) (U)

Sources stated that since HASSAN's association with MADOLE was again given publicity in "The New York Daily News" articles that HASSAN again faces the possibility of being recalled to the United Arab Republic. He stated that (S) (X) (U)

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the press office of the United Arab Republic Delegation to the United Nations does not handle the volume of literature that was handled in the past, since a decision was reportedly made that the distribution of literature was the proper function of the Arab Information Center, 20 East 56th Street, New York City. (S) (U)

NY T-4 advised on January 29, 1959, that a [redacted]
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NY T-5 indicated on February 5, 1959, that he had no information indicating that JAMES MADOLE has been in contact with members of the Jordan Mission to the United Nations or the Jordan Consulate, New York City. (S) (U)

NY T-6 indicated on February 6, 1959, that he had no information indicating that MADOLE had visited the Saudi Arabian Mission to the United Nations to pick up literature at that mission or of any one picking up literature on a regular basis. NY T-6 further advised he had no information indicating that MADOLE had ever been in contact with any individuals at this mission.

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NY T-7 indicated on January 31, 1959, that [redacted]
[redacted] indicated on that date he had talked with "the top Nazi in the country", who heads a "Nationalist Party" in the United States, and this individual had given [redacted] some material to read, but that [redacted] had advised this individual that the Iraqis did not need their assistance. (S) (U)

NY T-7 advised on February 12, 1959, that an individual believed to be the subject had been in contact with [redacted] and asked him if he had received his material yet. NY T-7 added that [redacted] and the individual believed to be the subject had discussed a planned crusade of BILLY GRAHAM in Cairo. This individual indicated to [redacted] (S) (U)

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that he is preparing another report which will be ready by the end of the week and which will list about three or four more firms. (S) (X) (U)

NY T-8 furnished information during 1958 and early 1959, which indicated that, according to JAMES MADOLE, he had been in contact with [redacted]

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[redacted] had furnished written reports in which MADOLE listed various individuals and organizations that he recommended be placed on the Arab blacklist. MADOLE also furnished reports on Jewish activities and Jewish fund raising campaigns in the United States as well as NRP literature including the "National Renaissance Bulletin", the official publication of the NRP. (S) (X) (U)

NY T-8 advised on February 5, 1959, that so far as is known, MADOLE is not acting at the order, request or under the direction of the Iraqi Consulate or the Iraqi Government. This informant stated that so far as he knows, the Iraqi Government does not encourage MADOLE's distribution of literature and no information has come to his attention indicating that any other individuals are acting as agents of the Iraqi Consulate or the Iraqi Delegation to the United Nations in distributing any "hate literature" or propaganda. (S) (X) (U)

This informant explained that MADOLE has written a number of articles concerning Zionism and the State of Israel, which articles he has voluntarily furnished to the Iraqi Consul General. In furnishing these articles, the informant stated that MADOLE has attempted to get the Iraqi Government to sponsor some of his research work, but the Iraqis have refused to do this inasmuch as they have no regard or respect for MADOLE. The informant stated that anything which is mailed or given to the Iraqi Consulate by the subject is accepted, but so far as is known, the subject has not been encouraged to furnish this material to the Iraqis. The informant recalled that in a few instances the Iraqis were interested in articles written by MADOLE and (S) (X) (U)

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had requested additional copies from him. These additional copies were desired for the purpose of sending them to Iraq, but so far as the informant knows, MADOLE was not paid for them. The informant added that MADOLE telephones

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of once a week. ~~(S)~~ ~~(S)~~ (U)

NY T-9 indicated on February 13, 1959, that the

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NY T-10 made available on January 28, 1959, the

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Information furnished by NY T-4, NY T-9 and NY T-10 should not be made public except after issuance of subpoena duces tecum.

[redacted] advised on February 16, 1959, that he is well acquainted with JAMES MADOLE, and has attended many meetings of the NRP in the past at MADOLE's apartment. He stated that he has seen quantities of pro-Arab literature at MADOLE's apartment, which is distributed under the NRP stamp, but he has no information regarding MADOLE's relationship with any official Arab establishment. He stated he has received no information indicating that MADOLE receives money from any foreign government or that his activities are being directed or encouraged by any such individuals.

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[redacted] advised that he had a general knowledge of the operations of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) and of JAMES MADOLE, its leader.

[redacted] advised that he would be most willing to furnish any available information concerning the NRP and MADOLE. However, he stated that any specific or detailed information could be more readily supplied by [redacted] of the Fact Finding Bureau of the Anti-Defamation League.

At this point, [redacted] called [redacted] into the former's office and the interview continued in the presence of [redacted] and [redacted].

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on 2/13/59 at [redacted] Date Dictated 2/18/59

by Special Agent THOMAS G. SPENCER and [redacted] /vmm

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[redacted] Fact Finding Bureau of the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) advised that there was no specific information in the files of the ADL indicating that JAMES MADOLE and/or the National Renaissance Party, are or have been distributing any literature at the direction of any foreign power.

[redacted] did state, however, that although the ADL has no proof, it would appear that the Egyptian Consulate in New York City is supplying information of an anti-Jewish nature, that is subsequently being incorporated in the National Renaissance Bulletin, which is in turn sold to the subscribers of this bulletin. [redacted] also stated that they (ADL) have received information that pamphlets put out by the Egyptians and undoubtedly given to the NRP free, are being stamped with the name and address of the NRP and are being sold to supporters of the latter organization.

[redacted] also advised that he has no specific information that MADOLE's or the NRP's activities were being directed by any foreign power. He stated, however, that the Iraqi government has written articles on Jewish life and that he believed MADOLE had attempted to negotiate with the Iraqi government in an effort to obtain copies of this material.

[redacted] advised that he had absolutely no information that MADOLE was receiving any money from the Egyptian, Iraqi or any other foreign governments in connection with the activity of the NRP. He stated, however, that there was no question, but that the Egyptians were furnishing MADOLE with literature put out by the Egyptians with the knowledge that MADOLE was disseminating this material to the latter's followers. [redacted] pointed out that he has no definite information as to who specifically MADOLE is dealing with at the Egyptian Consulate or the particular arrangement MADOLE has with the Egyptians in this connection.

[redacted] advised that his information concerning MADOLE's connection or arrangements with the Iraqi government are extremely limited and other than the information set out above he has no definite knowledge that MADOLE has or is using any Iraqi propaganda in his NRP publications.

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As to the source of the material utilized by MADOLE in the latter's speeches and writings, [] advised that he has heard that MADOLE spends considerable time in the New York Public Library, where [] stated there is available source material that could be utilized by MADOLE. [] advised that the Public Library material and information supplied by the Egyptians and probably the Iraqi probably is the main source of information available to MADOLE in connection with his activities regarding the NRP. [] pointed out that MADOLE would no doubt also have access to other anti-Negro and anti-Jewish propaganda, published by racist groups throughout the country. Concerning the identities of any persons or organizations in the United States, other than foreign establishments that have or are supplying MADOLE with money or materials to carry on the work of the NRP, [] stated that he could not name a single person or organization that had assisted MADOLE money wise in the operations of the NRP. [] did state, however, that MADOLE has a mailing list of persons who subscribe to the NRP publication, which would be one source of revenue available to MADOLE in this connection. [] also stated that there well could be persons or organizations that assist MADOLE financially or otherwise, but that the identities of these persons are not known either to [] or the ADL.

As a matter of interest, [] volunteered that some months ago, an individual named [] had purchased a quantity of MADOLE's old literature, for which [] paid an unknown amount of money. [] stated that [] was described to him as "of Lebanese nationality and a shadowy figure". [] could not further identify [].

In conclusion, [] stated that neither he nor the ADL had any documentary or other evidentiary data that would tend to show that MADOLE or the NRP was acting at the direction of, or on behalf of a foreign principal.

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~~FREDERICK WEISS~~, Mt. Hope Road, Middletown, New York, advised that he has not been in contact with MADOLE or the activities of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) for the past three years. WEISS stated that his reason for ceasing his connections with MADOLE and the NRP grew out of MADOLE's adamant attitude in connection with continued preaching of the abolition of the present form of elections in the United States and the parliamentary procedures in existence in connection with the government of the United States. At the outset of the interview WEISS stated that he did not have any documents or other evidence that would establish that MADOLE was acting on behalf of or at the direction of a foreign government in connection with the activities of the NRP. WEISS stated that all of the information that he had concerning the activities of MADOLE and the NRP were his "personal impressions" that he had gained through his association with MADOLE and other individuals connected with the NRP movement.

Concerning the source of MADOLE's materials in connection with the latter's published articles and street corner speeches, WEISS stated that MADOLE is an avid reader of any material dealing with the anti-Negro and anti-Jewish situation. WEISS was unable to specifically state any particular source that MADOLE had in this regard. WEISS volunteered, however, that prior to the time he ceased associating with MADOLE, he, WEISS, had furnished MADOLE with a substantial amount of material that he obtained from reading OSWALD SPENGLER's book "The Hour of Decision". WEISS stated that he has also supplied, on an infrequent basis, articles which he, WEISS, wrote on the question of "Brotherhood".

WEISS stated that MADOLE receives probably a sufficient amount of money through his operation of the NRP to maintain and continue on a limited basis, the operation of the NRP. WEISS stated that at the time that he was more closely associated with MADOLE, the latter had a mailing list of from one to two hundred names, most of whom were in the southern part of the country. The persons on this mailing list were furnished with a copy of the National Renaissance Bulletin, each month, which costs twenty-five cents a copy. WEISS stated that MADOLE also sold pamphlets and other materials which he obtained from Egyptian Consulate, New York City, to his subscribers also at twenty-five cents a copy.

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Interview with FREDERICK WEISS File # NY 105-6129
on 2/16/59 at New York Office
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by Special Agent THOMAS G. SPENCER and [redacted] /vmm

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WEISS stated that when he was associated with MADOLE, the latter had a contribution list of from two to five hundred individuals each of whom paid two dollars a year for membership in the NRP. He stated that although he had no proof of it, that on occasions persons would send in a larger donation than the two dollar yearly dues. WEISS stated that one of the individuals, with whom MADOLE was associated, was [redacted] WEISS explained that [redacted] had been in the employ of the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) for as long as he, WEISS, had known [redacted]. He places this period at about five or six years. WEISS stated that [redacted]

[redacted] and that he sees [redacted] on a more or less regular basis. He stated that it is his understanding that [redacted] is an employee of the ADL and is assigned to investigate anti-Jewish groups particularly in the New York area and to determine the activities of the United Arab Republic in so far as it might affect the Jewish population in the United States. WEISS stated that he is certain that [redacted] used MADOLE as a source of information and occasionally pays MADOLE five or ten dollars expense money for the information furnished by MADOLE. WEISS stated, however, that he is quite positive that the Anti-Defamation League does not know that [redacted] makes any payments to MADOLE for information.

Concerning [redacted] activities, WEISS stated that one of the principal informants of [redacted] in connection with Jewish and anti-Jewish matters is one JOSEPH RUDDEN. WEISS characterized RUDDEN as an extremely shrewd individual, who is able to obtain a great deal of information, however, WEISS claimed that RUDDEN is inclined to be an alcoholic. WEISS stated that in spite of his addiction to alcohol, the latter is probably the best informed person available concerning the ramifications of the NRP outside of MADOLE himself. WEISS also volunteered that one [redacted] is employed by the American Jewish Committee, and his principal job is in connection with the investigation of anti-Jewish groups in the New York area.

WEISS stated that [redacted] work for the American Jewish Committee parallels the operation of [redacted] in connection with his employment for the ADL and WEISS characterized them as "competitors".

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WEISS stated that he was unable to identify one [] as anyone he knew who had been connected with MADOLE or the NRP. WEISS stated that he has never been in the employ of the ADL and that he (WEISS) had never received any money from them or any foreign source in connection with any activities he engaged in with MADOLE, the NRP or any other similar organization.

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WEISS reiterated the fact that he has had no contact with MADOLE or the NRP in the past several years and stated he was unable to furnish the names of any other individuals other than those mentioned above, who might have any knowledge of MADOLE or the NRP's operation in connection with the distribution of anti-Jewish and anti-Negro literature.

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NY T-1 indicated on February 11, 1959, that he recalled an individual named [redacted] who was in contact with MADOLE from December, 1956, until February, 1957, and was interested in MADOLE's Arab contacts. He stated this individual attended a meeting of the NRP on January 10, 1957, and indicated that he was a friend of [redacted] and a friend of [redacted]. This informant also indicated that this individual had used the name "[redacted]" when talking, to JOSEPH RUDDEN. NY T-1 described this individual as about twenty-five years old, blond hair and a stocky build.

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APPENDIX

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NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

On April 21, 1958, a confidential source stated that the NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949, by JAMES H. MADOLE who is in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report, dated December 17, 1954, stated "National Renaissance Party activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American."

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United States Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

New York, New York
February 27, 1959

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Re: James H. Madole

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Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted], dated and captioned as above at New York. b6 b7C

NY T-1, utilized in the above-referenced report, has furnished reliable information in the past and indicated he received his information from a source whom he termed reliable, but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

NY T-2 through NY T-10 have all furnished reliable information in the past.

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From: Director, FBI (105-52256) 55

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Rerep of SA [redacted] dated 2-27-59.

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Information on page 12 of referenced report indicates that according to Frederick Weiss, when interviewed 2-16-59, one Charles Smith is employed by the American Jewish Committee and his principal job is in connection with the investigations of anti-Jewish groups in the New York area.

Unless your files contain information indicating reasons to contrary, you should locate and interview Smith for any information he may have of pertinence to this investigation.

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NOTE: It is noted that [redacted] and has been furnishing us with considerable info during the past several years regarding captioned subject and the National Renaissance Party as well as to the anti-Jewish organizations. It appears possible that [redacted] and Charles Smith [redacted] but since NY did not indicate such fact on cover pages to report and set forth no lead to have Smith interviewed, felt that we should so instruct in order to obtain all possible info concerning Madole and his activities.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-52256)

DATE: 3/16/59

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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Reference Bureau airtel, 3/11/59.

Referenced airtel requested the NYO to interview CHARLES SMITH, employed by the American Jewish Committee for information concerning this investigation unless the NYO files indicated information which would preclude such interview.

It is noted that [redacted] who has been a confidential source of the NYO since [redacted]

[redacted] He has furnished voluminous amounts of material concerning JAMES MADOLE and the operation of the National Renaissance Party as well as valuable information on Arab matters and other miscellaneous investigations. Although there is no evidence in the NYO indicating that [redacted]

[redacted] the NYO feels that such is the case inasmuch as SMITH is employed by the American Jewish Committee.

It is felt that an interview with SMITH would furnish nothing concerning this investigation which has not already been obtained from [redacted] and that such an interview could seriously jeopardize the relationship of the NYO with [redacted]

In view of the above, CHARLES SMITH will not be interviewed by the NYO, UACB.

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 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)
 SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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JAMES H. MADOLE telephonically contacted the NYO and indicated he wished to be interviewed. He came to the NYO and was interviewed on 3/19/59.

MADOLE stated he was never approached by a representative of any foreign governments to act on their behalf and had never received any money from any government to act on their behalf. He stated that he had furnished literature to foreign governments both in the U.S. and abroad. This literature, he stated, was pertinent to these countries as it contained his views which he believed would assist them with economic and political problems which these countries were concerned with.

MADOLE stated he would not specifically indicate the particular countries or foreign representatives to whom he sent this literature. He added that he had never received any remuneration for this literature. MADOLE stated he had obtained quantities of literature from foreign countries which he refused to identify and denied selling this literature but stated he distributed it to members of his party.

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MADOLE stated that in the event this Bureau desired to interview him in the future, that he would make himself available. Report follows.

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TO : MR. BELMONT

DATE: March 19, 1959

FROM : W. A. BRANIGAN

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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Late during the afternoon of March 18, 1959, ASAC Schmit called from New York with reference to the captioned case. He noted that the subject has been under investigation for possible violation of the Registration Act for some period of time and that it was proposed that before the case was concluded we would interview the subject since we had thus far not established that he was acting as an unregistered agent for the Arabs. ASAC Schmit noted that the subject is the present head of the National Renaissance Party, that he is a bitter anti-Semitic and anti-Negro, and a rabble-rouser. *yu 7-1*

ASAC Schmit stated that the subject called the New York Office both during the morning and afternoon of March 18, advising that he understood he was being investigated by the FBI. He stated that he desired to come to the office for the purpose of being interviewed. ASAC Schmit stated that he proposed that the subject be contacted and invited to come to the office and that they would accept any information he desired to furnish.

ACTION:

The proposed course of action appears to be a correct course and the New York Office advised they would furnish the results of the interview. *l*

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE 3/20/59	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 2/25/59 - 3/18/59
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SYNOPSIS

REFERENCE

Report of SA [REDACTED] dated 2/27/59 at NY. b6 b7C

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[REDACTED] was used to document the National Renaissance Party. b2 b7D

It is to be noted that there is a lead outstanding in this investigation at Chicago to attempt to identify "[REDACTED]" as set out in NY letter 2/27/59. However, in view of negative information obtained at NY concerning this individual recommendation to interview the subject is being submitted in letter accompanying this report although "[REDACTED]" has not been identified. It is felt by the NYO that in view of "[REDACTED]" alleged limited

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contact with the subject, even if identified, he would not be able to furnish any information which has not already been furnished by other acquaintances of the subject, therefore, no further effort is being made to identify "[redacted]" or "[redacted]" who is also an unknown individual who was in contact with the subject briefly in the past. b6 b7C

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At New York, New York

Will interview subject upon receipt of Bureau permission.

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This report is classified "~~Confidential~~" inasmuch as it contains information obtained from [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted], disclosure of which could prove to be prejudicial to the defense interests of the United States. b2 b7D

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Report of: SA [REDACTED]
Date: 3/20/59

Office: New York

File Number: New York 105-6129

Bureau 105-52256

Title: JAMES H. MADOLE

Character: INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB
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Synopsis:

JAMES MADOLE continues to reside at 10 W. 90th St. and is unemployed. An unknown individual entered MADOLE's apartment on 2/28/59 and took \$40 in cash as well as the mailing list of the National Renaissance Party at gunpoint from MADOLE. No record of registration for MADOLE or the National Renaissance Party at the Justice Department, Persons interviewed indicate MADOLE obtains large quantities of Arab literature from Arab establishments in NYC which he stamps with the name of the National Renaissance Party and distributes, but there is no indication that MADOLE is operating as an agent for a foreign government or is being directed or influenced by any foreign government. Information concerning JOSEPH RUDDEN, NRP member set out. No information located concerning [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]. Description of subject set out.

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DETAILS:

I. INFORMATION CONCERNING MADOLE'S RESIDENCE,
EMPLOYMENT AND BACKGROUND

NY T-1 indicated on March 17, 1959, that JAMES MADOLE continues to reside at 10 West 90th Street with his mother, GRACE MADOLE, and continues to operate the National Renaissance Party (NRP) from this address, however, he is otherwise unemployed.

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[redacted] Bureau of Special Services, New York City Police Department, advised on February 28, 1959 that an unknown man entered the subject's apartment at 10 West 90th Street at 11 p.m. on February 27, 1959 and after engaging the subject in political discussion for several hours he displayed a pistol and stated he had come to kill the subject. [redacted] stated that this individual, upon learning that the subject's mother was also in the apartment, indicated he would not kill the subject, but instead tied up the subject and locked the subject's mother in the bathroom. He then took \$40 in cash as well as the mailing list of the NRP from the subject at gunpoint. [redacted] indicated that MADOLE had stated that he does not know the identity of his assailant or his motive in committing this robbery. He stated that the description of this unknown individual was as follows:

Age	25
Height	5'5"
Weight	140 pounds
Complexion	Dark
Hair	Dark, straight
Nationality	Appeared to be Italian or Latin nationality

[redacted] further advised on March 17, 1959 that an individual named [redacted] was shot by New York City Police on March 14, 1959 and seriously wounded while resisting arrest on a disorderly conduct charge.

[] stated that an official of the Anti-Defamation League had contacted the police and suggested that [], a free lance writer, may have been the person who robbed MADOLE on February 28, 1959. [] stated that MADOLE was unable to furnish a positive identification from pictures of [] shown to him by the police. However, the police intend having MADOLE view [] in person when he is removed from the critical list at Bellevue Hospital.

II. INFORMATION CONCERNING MADOLE'S ACTIVITIES WITH ARAB COUNTRIES

On February 24, 1959, [] Registration Section, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, advised the files of that office contained no registration for the subject or the NRP as an agent for a foreign principle or as a propaganda agent for a foreign principal.

NY T-1 indicated on February 25, 1959 that JAMES MADOLE is presently at work on his next issue of the NR Bulletin. He stated a portion of this bulletin would be devoted to a reply of the "New York Daily News" articles by DAVID BURK which recently appeared. NY T-1 indicated that MADOLE had stated that he has no new Arab literature at present, but has ordered several hundred more copies of his latest two NR Bulletins which will be mimeographed at the offices of "Common Sense".

NY T-1 indicated on February 28, 1959 that MADOLE indicated that a person unknown to him came to his apartment at 11 p.m. on February 27, 1959 and shortly after he entered the apartment he produced an automatic pistol and stated "this is a holdup". MADOLE stated the stranger then proceeded to examine all of his files, literature and correspondence and remained there until about 3 a.m. MADOLE stated this individual had taken the mailing list of the NRP which would greatly handicap MADOLE in his mailing of the NR Bulletin. MADOLE added that he had never seen this individual before, but believed the robbery to have been engineered by FRED WEISS and his co-workers who are at work for a Jewish organization.

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NY T-1 indicated on March 3, 1959 that MADOLE has prepared the next issue of the NR Bulletin, the title of which will be "Who Are the Real Hate Monger?" He stated, however, the mimeographing of this bulletin will be delayed at least a week because of the inability of "Common Sense" to handle it at this time. He stated that MADOLE in this article indicated that Jewish organizations are demanding a passage of legislation banning all publications which dare to oppose the activities of the Jews. He singles out Senator JAVITS and Senator KEATING who he indicates "earn their living by wagging their tongues at Jewish fund raising dinners for the State of Israel". He stated that Jewish organizations are demanding that "anti-Semitic" political organizations like the NRP must be either outlawed or crippled by legislation which would bar their literature from going through the mail. MADOLE states that instead of demanding a study of the known existent linkage between the NRP and the Government of the United Arab Republic (UAR) as recently claimed by DAVID BURK in the "New York Daily News" articles, he suggests a congressional study of methods by which a foreign state, the State of Israel, solicits hundreds of millions of tax deductible dollars each year to build up her war machine in the Middle East. MADOLE concludes the article by stating "let's get after the real hate mongers" and states the NRP is uncompromisingly dedicated to this task.

NY T-1 indicated on March 17, 1959 that MADOLE had received his copies of this bulletin dated January, 1959 from "Common Sense" where it was mimeographed, and is presently distributing this issue.

NY T-2 indicated on February 25, 1959 that he had never heard of JAMES MADOLE, but was almost certain that he was not acting at the order or request of the Arab Government, if he was issuing and distributing propaganda on behalf of the Arabs. This source explained that he makes this statement based on the fact that he has been closely associated with high-ranking Arab diplomats.

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in New York City for the past several years. During this association he has never heard them indicate that they were employing anyone to assist in the distribution of propaganda material. He pointed out that on the contrary, they are in most instances very anxious to avoid being associated with any groups in the United States with "shady reputations" for fear they might be accused of interfering in the internal activities of the United States. He stated that the Arab establishments will mail literature to any individual who writes them requesting such literature.

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[redacted] was interviewed on February 25, 1959 by SAS [redacted] and [redacted] on another matter and he furnished the following concerning JAMES MADOLE:

He stated that he had been acquainted with MADOLE for several years and had attended several meetings of the NRP in MADOLE's apartment. He stated that to his knowledge MADOLE operates the NRP to suit himself and he knows of no one who is directing MADOLE's activities. He added that he knew of no connection between MADOLE and any foreign government.

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[redacted] was interviewed on January 23, 1959 by SA [redacted] concerning another matter, and furnished the following concerning JAMES MADOLE:

He stated he had attended one meeting of the NRP at MADOLE's apartment, 10 West 90th Street, in the fall of 1958. [redacted] advised that he considers MADOLE to be an intelligent but fanatical anti-Semite who blames the Jews for all of the world's ills. [redacted] stated that he once heard MADOLE say that he believed that the solution of the "Jewish problem" would be the "sterilization of all Jews." [redacted] stated that he considers MADOLE to be a "nut" with whom he wants no further contact.

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[redacted] was interviewed on February 12, 1959 by SAS [redacted] and [redacted] concerning another matter and furnished the following concerning JAMES MADOLE:

[redacted] advised that he knew the NRP to be an organization sponsored by JAMES MADOLE. He said that he did not think the NRP was much of an organization as MADOLE seemed to be about the only active member.

[redacted] said that he had attended several NRP meetings at MADOLE's apartment, 10 West 90th Street, New York City.

[redacted] advised that these meetings had been attended by about three to six individuals, including MADOLE, and that he believed most of those in attendance came to ascertain the nature of MADOLE's activities or from curiosity. He said that he believed that certain Jewish organizations in New York City are aware of MADOLE's activities and the NRP and that they consider him to be harmless.

[redacted] described MADOLE as a person who is violently opposed to Jews and as one who advocates complete elimination of the Jewish people. [redacted] stated that he does not believe MADOLE is capable of violence, however, despite his radical feeling with regard to the Jewish people. [redacted] advised that he, himself, deplores violence.

[redacted] stated that he could furnish no information regarding any foreign connections, affiliations or financial backing on the part of JAMES MADOLE and stated that he seriously doubted the existence of any such connection. [redacted] stated that because he disagrees with the extremely radical approach of MADOLE, he has avoided him and has in fact had no personal contact with him for about two or three years. [redacted] stated that he has seen MADOLE in recent months at meetings at Nola Studios

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and Steinway Hall in New York City, but that he has not spoken to him. [] said that he does not like MADOLE and MADOLE does not like him. [] characterized the meetings, mentioned above, as open affairs at which eugenics and anthropology were the topics of discussion. He said that MADOLE sometimes made anti-Jewish remarks during these meetings.

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[redacted] for the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) of B'nai B'rith, New York City, and as such has been in contact with JAMES MADOLE for the past five years. He stated that he has seen MADOLE about once a month during this time and that MADOLE knows he is employed by the ADL, but nevertheless MADOLE furnishes him with literature of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) and information regarding activities of the NRP. [redacted] stated he has never paid MADOLE for this literature or information nor has he ever contributed any money to the NRP. [redacted] added he has never received information concerning MADOLE or the NRP from any other individuals except MADOLE and has never employed anyone to seek information concerning the NRP or MADOLE.

[redacted] stated he has no evidence indicating MADOLE is acting as an agent of a foreign principal and does not know whether MADOLE is being directed or encouraged by any foreign government in his distribution of Arab literature.

[redacted] stated he does know that MADOLE has made the rounds of all of the Arab establishments in New York City for the past several years and has collected Arab literature which he stamps with the name of the NRP and distributes to his NRP following. He stated that MADOLE told him the Arabs (not specifically indicated by MADOLE which Arabs) had asked him not to stamp their literature with the name of the NRP, however, MADOLE had indicated that it was necessary for him to place the name of the Party on this literature in order to obtain publicity for the Party. [redacted] stated that MADOLE formerly had utilized JOSEPH RUDDEN to aid him in picking up literature at the Arab establishments, but inasmuch as RUDDEN is a heavy drinker and as a result had caused MADOLE to lose some of his contacts for literature in Arab establishments, that MADOLE no longer allows RUDDEN to pick up literature.

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[] stated that no one else so far as he knows aids MADOLE in obtaining this literature and MADOLE operates in a very independent manner and takes orders from no one. [] added that MADOLE told him he was unable to get large quantities of literature from the Arab Information Center at 120 East 56th Street, New York City, and although they did not encourage his obtaining and distributing this literature they did treat him cordially. MADOLE indicated to [] he is able to obtain large quantities of literature from the United Arab Republic Information Office, 900 Park Avenue, and has several contacts there among the Syrians whom he formerly contacted at the Syrian Mission to the United Nations (UN) which was formerly located at 515 Park Avenue, who have been transferred to the United Arab Republic (UAR) Delegation. [] stated that MADOLE formerly contacted [] at the UAR Delegation, but now is in contact with the [] who took [] place. [] stated MADOLE indicated he also had obtained literature from [] at the Saudi Arabian Mission to the UN, and is presently distributing literature containing several speeches made before the UN by []

[] added that he does not know who pays the mailing charges for the distribution of this Arab literature which MADOLE distributes, but he suspects that someone must pay for these expenses for MADOLE.

[] indicated that MADOLE has also distributed Indonesian literature in the past and had tried to contact the South Africans, but was unable to obtain their cooperation. MADOLE also indicated to [] that he receives close cooperation from the Palestine - Arab Refugee Office and distributes literature he obtains there. His contacts at this office are [] and [] further indicated that MADOLE and his NRP followers regularly attend meetings of the Arab Student Organization which are held in the vicinity of Columbia University.

[] stated that he knows of no information or reports which MADOLE has furnished to any Arabs in the past,

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but believes that MADOLE did tell him about some information he furnished to the Iraqi Consulate concerning several of their female employees, which resulted in their being dismissed. [] was unable to recall the nature of this information.

[] added that he believes the "New York Daily News" articles concerning MADOLE and his connection with the Arab countries were greatly exaggerated and stated he regards them as a "new low in inaccurate reporting". He stated he believes MADOLE has actively sought cooperation with the Arab countries in order to benefit the NRP, but has not been successful except in his being able to obtain some of their literature. [] added that he believes the NRP at present is a very small group consisting mainly of MADOLE, which has no officers and is directed by no one except MADOLE.

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[redacted] Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League, New York City, indicated that he ~~As~~ believes there has been a connection between JAMES MADOLE and officials of Arab countries in the past. However, he has no evidence that MADOLE is acting as an agent of any Arab establishment in the distribution of their literature or is acting at the order of any foreign government. He stated that he believes any cooperation which has existed between MADOLE and Arab countries has been more on MADOLE's part than by the Arabs. He stated that MADOLE has hoped to receive some financial aid from the Arabs but according to [redacted] the only aid which he has received has been the receipt of free Arab literature which MADOLE has stamped with the name of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) and sold through the channels of the NRP.

[redacted] added that MADOLE for about the past 4 years has regularly visited various offices of Arab establishments and obtained large quantities of literature which is generally distributed free of charge to the public but not in such quantities as MADOLE has obtained. [redacted] said MADOLE's chief source of literature has been the United Arab Republic Information Office at 900 Park Avenue. However, since a change of personnel in 1958, MADOLE has found it more difficult to obtain literature at this establishment because some individuals there have been ordered not to furnish him with literature.

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[] stated that MADOLE is a dedicated fanatic and it would not be possible for anyone to direct his activities. However, MADOLE may have received advice from time to time from the Arabs on matters concerning articles MADOLE has written for the National Renaissance Bulletin.

[] stated that he does not believe any official Arab government encourages this cooperation with MADOLE because of the notoriety which MADOLE has received as being an extremely radical person.

[] indicated that recently MADOLE has been obtaining information from various Arab establishments and other sources concerning United States companies which do business with Israel. In this regard MADOLE has attempted to contact officials of the Russian establishment in New York City, and hoped to obtain their cooperation in compiling a black list of companies which he hoped to compile in a book and sell for \$50.00 a book. [] added that MADOLE also had considered obtaining subscribers to such a book among governments of the Middle East who would be interested in a complete list of firms doing business with Israel.

[] stated that during the past several years he has utilized the services of JOSEPH RUDDEN in obtaining information concerning MADOLE's activities and in obtaining literature of the NRP. He stated he has paid RUDDEN about \$15.00 weekly on the basis of literature and information delivered to him. He said that RUDDEN is unemployed at present and has never been able to hold a steady job because of his addiction to alcohol. He stated that on several occasions he had furnished money to RUDDEN for a specific purpose in connection with attending a meeting for obtaining literature and RUDDEN

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had used the money for alcohol. [] added that he has never furnished any money to RUDDEN or anyone else for the operation of the NRP. He added that RUDDEN is the only person at present whom he receives information from concerning MADOLE; however, in the past he has used [] and [] who were members of the NRP 5 or 6 years ago.

[] stated that he does not believe anyone furnishes financial support to the operation of the NRP and that the small amount of money necessary to run this organization is obtained by the sale of literature and the National Renaissance Bulletin. [] added that MADOLE receives all of his material support for board and room from his mother, GRACE MADOLE.

[] concluded by stating that the only tangible evidence that he has concerning any connection or cooperation between MADOLE and any Arab establishments is the Arab literature which MADOLE has distributed in the past. [] stated that all of this literature is stamped with the name of the NRP. However, he stated that he believes several of these stamps were made about 4 years ago by [] and that he knows that JOE RUDDEN possesses one and that he himself has one of these stamps containing the name of the NRP.

[] stated that he knows of no individual who would have any first hand knowledge of MADOLE's contact with officials of any Arab establishment or who would be able to furnish information indicating whether or not MADOLE is acting as an agent of any foreign government. He stated that he was not familiar with any individuals connected with MADOLE in the past by the name of [] or [].

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JOSEPH RUDDEN advised that he had been associated with JAMES MADOLE in the National Renaissance Party (NRP) since about 1953. He stated he held no official title in the Party, but was only a member and said there are no officers in the Party except MADOLE. RUDDEN stated that he has aided MADOLE during the past several years in contacting all of the Arab establishments in New York City in order to obtain literature which is anti-Zionist as is the NRP. He stated that MADOLE stamps this Arab literature with the name of the NRP and distributes it to the NRP followers. RUDDEN added that to his knowledge no one owns a stamp of the NRP except MADOLE. RUDDEN stated that at present he and MADOLE get a very small amount of literature from the Saudi Arabian Mission as they produce very little literature, however, they get large quantities from the United Arab Republic (UAR) office and some literature from the Iraqi Consulate.

RUDDEN stated that he and MADOLE had attended several social affairs at the Iraqi Consulate in the past, the last one being in December, 1958. RUDDEN stated he and MADOLE also attend meetings of the Arab Student Organization inasmuch as they are on the mailing list of this organization. RUDDEN stated that to his knowledge MADOLE is not acting as an agent for any foreign government and is not being directed or financed by anyone. He added that the NRP is supported by subscribers to the National Renaissance Bulletin which he estimated to be about 700, and by the sale of other NRP literature. He stated the NRP maintains a bank account at the Manufacturers Trust Company, 3rd Avenue and 85th Street, and believes there is a very little amount of money in this account.

RUDDEN stated that he never furnished any information to anyone concerning MADOLE's activities or those of the NRP, and had never received any money for any work which he had done in connection with the NRP. RUDDEN concluded by stating that he was unable to recall the exact times or instances when literature had been obtained or specifically who had authorized him to obtain this literature at the Arab establishments. He added, however, that both he and MADOLE are well known to the office personnel of the various Arab establishments and they are usually allowed to obtain any literature which is available at these offices.

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[redacted] Bureau of Special Services, New York City Police Department, indicated on August 6, 1956 that JOSEPH RUDDEN, 318 East 79th Street, was a member of the NRP. He stated that the New York City Police Department had the following arrest record for RUDDEN, number B227634:

On October 6, 1944, attempted robbery charge was changed to disorderly conduct and RUDDEN was sentenced to ten days in jail.

On July 6, 1951 an attempted robbery and assault charge was changed to grand larceny and RUDDEN was placed on indefinite probation beginning October 18, 1951 and running until a maximum of April 17, 1954.

[redacted] added that this record indicated that RUDDEN is a known homosexual.

NY T-1 indicated on August 7, 1956 that JOSEPH RUDDEN is an alcoholic and an alleged homosexual and probably would obtain information for anyone who would offer him a few dollars.

III. INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY "[redacted]"
AND "[redacted]" WHO HAVE REPORTEDLY
BEEN IN CONTACT WITH MADOLE IN THE PAST

NY T-1 indicated on March 13, 1959 that he could furnish no further information concerning the identity of "[redacted]" or "[redacted]".

[redacted] indicated on March 16, 1959 that he could furnish no information concerning the identity of either "[redacted]" or "[redacted]".

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[] indicated on February 25, 1959 that he was not acquainted with any individuals connected with MADOLE by the name of "[]" or "[]".

[] indicated on March 17, 1959 that he believed he recalled an individual by the name of "[]" who had been in contact with MADOLE some time in the past, but could furnish no information concerning his identity. He added that he recalled an individual named "[]" who was allegedly a Lebanese, but could furnish no information concerning his identity.

JOSEPH RUDDEN indicated on March 17, 1959 that he is not familiar with any individuals by the name of "[]" or "[]" having been in contact with MADOLE and further stated that he did not know anyone who had used the name [].

IV. DESCRIPTION OF JAMES MADOLE

The following description was obtained from public records and observation of the subject:

Height	5'10"
Weight	130 pounds
Complexion	Light
Build	Slender
Hair	Partially bald with blond hair
Age	31
Date of Birth	July 7, 1927, New Bedford, Massachusetts
Address	10 West 90th Street, New York City
Previous Address	224 Main Street, Beacon, New York
Employment	Unemployed
Marital Status	Single
Mother	GRACE X HARTING <i>NK</i>
Father	JAMES MADOLE (believed deceased)
Social Security Number	054-24-378

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APPENDIX

COMMON SENSE

It is noted that "Common Sense" published by the Educational Association of Union, New Jersey, was characterized in a report issued on December 17, 1954, by the Committee on Un-American Activities of the United States House of Representatives as a "hate group" vehicle publishing "some of the most vitriolic hate propaganda ever to come to the attention of the Committee". According to the report, "Common Sense" depicts Communism as "Judaism", and devotes its pages almost exclusively to attacks on the Jewish, and to a lesser extent, the Negro minorities in our nation. Sympathy for the former Nazi regime in Germany is also injected into this propaganda.

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

On April 21, 1958, a confidential source stated that the National Renaissance Party is an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949, by JAMES H. MADOLE who is in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report, dated December 17, 1954, stated "National Renaissance Party activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American."

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New York, New York

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Re: James H. Madole

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		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC; REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC	

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REFERENCE

Report of SA [REDACTED] dated 2/27/59 at NY.

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[REDACTED] was used to document the National Renaissance Party.

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It is to be noted that there is a lead outstanding in this investigation at Chicago to attempt to identify '[REDACTED]' as set out in NY letter 2/27/59. However, in view of negative information obtained at NY concerning this individual recommendation to interview the subject is being submitted in letter accompanying this report although '[REDACTED]' has not been identified. It is felt by the NYO that in view of '[REDACTED]' alleged limited

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FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-6129)

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
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It is noted that the subject voluntarily appeared at the NYO on 3/19/59 and was interviewed. At that time he declined to furnish a signed statement but did answer questions concerning his connections with foreign governments.

In view of this, the NYO is not submitting the seven point letter recommending interview of the subject as was indicated in referenced report.

It is noted that at the time the subject appeared at the NYO, referenced report was in transcription; therefore, an additional report is being prepared containing information furnished by the subject on 3/19/59. This report should reach the Bureau by 3/27/59.

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It is to be noted that Chicago is not aware of all the facts in captioned matter. No further investigation is being conducted by the Chicago Office to determine the present whereabouts of [redacted]. The files of the Chicago Office disclose no information that [redacted] has been in the Chicago area in recent years. If it becomes necessary to locate [redacted] it is believed that the New York office may have information or their sources may be able to determine [redacted] whereabouts.

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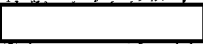
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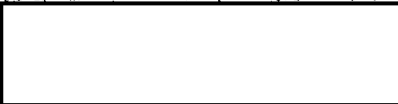
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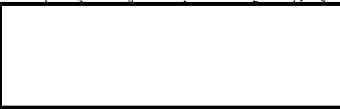


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Synopsis:

[REDACTED] present whereabouts unknown. [REDACTED]
formerly resided in Chicago and reportedly [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ACAWC. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] reportedly a friend of [REDACTED] of the
Columbians and associated with elements of the
White Circle League and We, The Mothers, organization.
One [REDACTED] signed up for literature at
American Rally meeting. [REDACTED] reportedly associated
with Democratic Nationalist Party and the National
Renaissance Party.

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DETAILS:

The following organizations mentioned in this report have been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450:

Columbians

Communist Party (CP), USA

Socialist Workers Party (SWP)

The Workers Party

The following organizations, and/or publications mentioned in this report, which have not been designated by the Attorney General of the United States, are characterized in the attached appendix pages:

American Committee for the
Advancement of Western Culture (ACAWC)

American Rally

Democratic Nationalist Party

"National American"

National Renaissance Party

White Circle League of America

"Womens Voice"

Information was received by the New York Office on January 21, 1957, that an individual named "[redacted]" was in contact with JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party in New York City. "[redacted]" indicated he was a good friend of "[redacted]" of Chicago. "[redacted]" was described as "[redacted]" and may be using the name "[redacted]".

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INFORMATION CONCERNING [REDACTED]

Present Whereabouts

On March 4, 1959, [REDACTED] Anti-Defamation League, B'nai B'rith, 343 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised that [REDACTED] had moved from the Chicago area several years ago. [REDACTED] did not know [REDACTED] present whereabouts.

A search of the June, 1958 Illinois Bell Telephone Directory discloses numerous listings under the name of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

On March 16, 1959, IC [REDACTED] caused a search to be made of the records of the Chicago Credit Bureau, Incorporated, which failed to disclose any identifiable information concerning [REDACTED]

On March 13, 1959, IC [REDACTED] caused a search to be made of the arrest records of the Chicago, Illinois Police Department, which failed to disclose any identifiable information.

Activities of [REDACTED]

From March 4, 1953 to May 13, 1953, [REDACTED] furnished SA [REDACTED] the following information:

In May, 1953, [REDACTED] resided at [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture (ACAWC). [REDACTED] resided at this address with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] formerly resided in the Bronx, New York, and was about [REDACTED] in 1953. [REDACTED] in April, 1950 stayed in Atlanta, Georgia, with a friend of [REDACTED] of the Columbians.

[REDACTED] has in the past associated with elements of the White Circle League and We, The Mothers Mobilize for American, Incorporated. [REDACTED] further advised that [REDACTED] has made many anti-Semitic and anti-Negro comments and has in the past been in contact with CONDE MC GINLEY and JAMES MADOLE of the East Coast.

[] described CONDE MC GINLEY as the editor of the anti-Semitic publication "Common Sense".

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On March 13, 1959, [] advised that [] resides at [], and is employed by Miller-Carlson, 22 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois.

[] Realpolitical Institute and the M & N Associates, which organizations have been active in the preparation and distribution of anti-Semitic literature in the Chicago area. According to [] is a psychopathic neo-Nazi sympathizer.

On February 24, 1955, CG T-1 advised that a meeting was held of the Lakeview Forum of the American Rally on Sunday, February 6, 1955 at the Rally Hall, 3711 North Halsted Street, Chicago, Illinois. One [] signed up for literature at this meeting.

CG T-2 advised in May, 1954, that JAMES MADOLE had been in correspondence with [] and [] of Chicago, Illinois. According to CG T-2 these individuals are associated with the Democratic Nationalist Party and recently issued a booklet entitled "The Elite Whiteman's Guidebook", which was violently anti-Semitic in nature.

CG T-3 advised in October, 1949, that he had attended a meeting of the National Renaissance Party on October 7, 1949. JAMES MADOLE was the director and [] was the [] of this organization.

In 1951, [] advised SA [] that [] formerly of New York and later of Chicago, published the "National American."

The files of the Chicago office disclosed no identifiable information regarding "[]" or "[]".

APPENDIX

American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture

[] advised on March 10, 1959, that he had previously received information concerning an organization known as the American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture which he had described as a front group or a cover for a subversive organization whose purpose was to propagandize Nazi principles and policies. [] continued that this organization was newly organized in 1953 and was headed by H. KEITH THOMPSON. [] further advised that THOMPSON was registered with the United States Justice Department as a German Agent, but that this organization is now extinct.

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American Rally

The February 22, 1954 edition of the "Chicago Sun Times" newspaper contained an article on page 1, column 1, which indicated that BURR MC CLOSKEY, National Executive Secretary of the American Rally, helped to form this organization in Detroit, Michigan in February, 1952, for the purpose of promoting the presidential candidacy of Brigadier General HERBERT C. HOLDRIDGE (retired). MC CLOSKEY pointed out that the rally was a coalition of "his" United Labor Party, HOLDRIDGE's Vegetarian Party, and remnants of the old Technocracy movement.

In June, 1950, two sources advised that the dominant leadership of the American Rally came from the United Labor Party which was a Socialistic, anti-Capitalistic organization composed of former members of the Socialist Workers Party and Communist Party which aimed at the establishment of a labor republic based on the idea of production for use and not for profit. It claimed to provide leadership for the working class.

In May, 1958, a third source advised that the American Rally gave its support to political candidates on a local or national level whose platforms were in line with the aims of the American Rally. This organization was directed its support or criticism toward national, medical and military issues. Source further advised that the American Rally formerly had its national headquarters at 6344 North Broadway, Chicago, Illinois. However, since June, 1957, this organization has been dormant and there has been no indication that any of its former officers have attempted to reactivate the American Rally.

Democratic Nationalist Party

The files of G-2, Fifth Army Headquarters, Chicago, Illinois, were reviewed on May 8, 1953 by SA [redacted] and disclosed the following information:

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In May, 1947, [redacted] University of Minnesota student, admitted [redacted] of the Democratic Nationalist Party. This Party was described as a "hate" group which advocated persecution of racial minorities.

"National American"

THE [REDACTED] of Ada, Ohio, described
the "National American" as a monthly publication that was
a Fascist type publication.

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National Renaissance Party

A confidential source on April 21, 1958, described the National Renaissance Party as an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949 by JAMES H. MADOLE who is in complete control of the Party. The Party's main function is distribution of the "National Renaissance Bulletin" on a monthly basis and distribution of pro Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a preliminary report dated December 17, 1954, stated "National Renaissance Party activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American."

White Circle League of America

The White Circle League of America was incorporated in the State of Illinois on November 9, 1949. This charter was revoked on June 29, 1952 on the grounds that the literature of the League "was highly inflammatory and would cause conflict among the races."

According to the organization's charter, it was founded "for the purpose of education, as to customs, civic and social standards, charitable purposes among its members, maintenance of schools, therefore, and the dissemination of information and literature appertinent thereto, and to safeguard the property of its members and tax research therein."

On December 4, 1958, [] advised that there had been no activity in recent years of the White Circle League of America and the organization is currently non-existent.

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"Womens Voice"

On December 4, 1958, [redacted] advised that "Womens Voice" is the official publication of We, The Mothers Mobilize for America, Incorporated, which originated in 1941 and continues to maintain an office at 937 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois. Mrs. LYRL CLARK VAN HYNING is the editor of "Womens Voice" and is responsible for the policies and views set forth in this publication. The articles are violently anti-EISENHOWER administration, anti-Semitic, anti-Masonic, anti-Catholic and opposed to all foreign elements in this country. We, The Mothers organization purports to be against all brotherhood groups with claims to follow the teachings of the Bible. The main interest of this group is in securing subscriptions to its publication "Womens Voice."

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In reference to the informants mentioned in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, the following is noted: b6
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CG T-1 and CG T-2 have furnished reliable information in the past.

CG T-3 has furnished information of unknown reliability.

The confidential informants utilized in the documentation of the American Rally and National Renaissance Party have furnished reliable information in the past.

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REFERENCE

NY airtel, 3/19/59.
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ADMINISTRATIVE

It is noted that the subject telephonically contacted the NYO on 3/18/59, and indicated that he wished to be interviewed by Agents of the NYO. During the interview of the subject, he indicated that he understood that the FBI had questioned some of his associates concerning his activities, and he, therefore, desired to come in and be interviewed and attempt to furnish the answers to any questions concerning himself. Inasmuch as the subject voluntarily

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appeared at the NYO, this interview was restricted to questioning him specifically concerning any possible activities in violation of the Registration Act.

It is recommended that this investigation be presented to the Department for an opinion as to possible violation of the Registration Act by this subject.

The NYO is placing this case in a pending inactive status until such time as an opinion is received from the Department.

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JAMES H. MADOLE

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Synopsis:

JAMES MADOLE was interviewed on 3/19/59, and stated he was never approached by any representative of a foreign government to act on their behalf, and had never received any money from any government to act on their behalf. MADOLE stated he has furnished literature to foreign governments, but received nothing for this literature, and stated he has obtained quantities of literature from foreign governments, which he refused to identify. MADOLE denied selling this literature, but stated he distributed it to members of his party.

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DATE: 3/23/59
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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC;
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JAMES H. MADOLE advised that in connection with material he has published for the National Renaissance Party (NRP), he has never been approached by any representative of any foreign government to act on their behalf. He also stated that no foreign government official has requested him to publish any material favoring a particular stand of a foreign government in any of his, MADOLE's, publications. MADOLE also advised that at no time has he ever received any money from any agency of any foreign government in connection with his associations with the NRP, or for any other reason. MADOLE further advised that at no time had he ever been approached by a representative of a foreign government with a solicitation that MADOLE publish material concerning a foreign government in any of his, MADOLE's, publications. MADOLE stated, however, that he has, on numerous occasions, published material in his publication, principally the "National Renaissance Bulletin" concerning matters in which a foreign government had an interest. Although MADOLE frankly stated he could not afford to be specific in this regard, that he did, from time to time, publish in his "National Renaissance Bulletin" economic and political material affecting countries other than the United States. He stated that if the material in question was pertinent to a particular problem in a foreign country, he would supply this particular foreign government, either in the United States or abroad, with copies of his material dealing with this particular problem.

When questioned concerning whether the bulk of his material was concerned with the so-called Middle East countries, MADOLE stated that he did not want to answer that question directly, and replied that the information might concern any country in the world. MADOLE indicated that he

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would not specify any particular foreign representative or foreign government which he had furnished literature to, inasmuch as he did not want to divulge his contacts in this regard.

MADOLE was questioned whether he had ever received any correspondence ^{resulting} from his furnishing copies of his "National Renaissance Bulletin" to representatives of foreign governments. MADOLE stated that he had never received any replies from any government to whom he had sent his material and which that government had commented on the content of his material. MADOLE stated that not only had he not received any acknowledgements in sending this material, but that he had not received any remuneration for having directed this material to these foreign governments.

MADOLE stated that during the past several years he had obtained quantities of literature published by foreign governments which he had stamped with the name of his party, the NRP, and had distributed to members of this party. He stated he had never sold any of this literature, and indicated that it would not be profitable to attempt to sell this type of literature. MADOLE indicated that this literature was obtained from many different foreign countries and was by no means restricted to Arab countries, although it was primarily concerned with countries which have a strong nationalistic tendency. MADOLE again stated that he would not specifically indicate which countries he had obtained literature from, or any specific foreign representative who had furnished him with such literature. He explained generally this literature dealt with the same aims and objectives which the NRP supports.

Concerning the NRP, MADOLE stated that he had never made public the number of its members, and would not do so at this time; however, he indicated that several weeks ago, when he was robbed, that over 5,000 names were taken from his files, and this did not include all of the names which he maintained. He stated, however, that he did not necessarily

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mail the bulletin or other literature to everyone, on his mailing list, inasmuch as the cost would be prohibitive. MADOLE would not indicate the number of persons whom he did mail literature, or the number of copies of the "National Renaissance Bulletin", which are produced each month. He added that he knows that his literature has been received in all states of the United States, and in many foreign countries. MADOLE explained that finances for the party are obtained from contributions and from the sale of the "National Renaissance Bulletin", and other party literature. He stated that he is the only person who is authorized in the NRP to print literature, and to his knowledge, no other individual has ever used the stamp of the NRP on any literature. He indicated he knows of no person in the NRP who has been solicited by a foreign government to perform any services. MADOLE identified an individual named [redacted] as a follower of the NRP by the name of [redacted] [redacted] who resides at [redacted] NY.

but indicated that he was not more active than any other NRP member, and had never been in contact with any foreign government in behalf of the NRP, so far as MADOLE knows.

National Renaissance Party
MADOLE stated that he does not know any individual by the name of [redacted] and stated no one by this name has ever been associated with him.

MADOLE said that it was his opinion that the reason the "New York Daily News" articles concerning him, which had been written by DAVID BURK, were instigated and probably written by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, in New York City, in an effort to embarrass the United Arab Republic Government at a time when it was seeking a re-approachment with the United States Government. He based this observation on the fact that the November, 1958, Anti-Defamation League Bulletin contained information and pictures identifiable to that which later appeared in the "Daily News" articles. He cited an example of this was information contained in the November, 1958, Anti-

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Defamation League Bulletin concerning [REDACTED]
which appeared January 20, 1959, in the "Daily News" articles.

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MADOLE indicated that in the event that this Bureau desired to interview him in the future, that he would make himself available.

SA THOMAS G. SPENCER participated in this interview, which was conducted on March 19, 1959.

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It is noted that the subject telephonically contacted the NYO on 3/18/59, and indicated that he wished to be interviewed by Agents of the NYO. During the interview of the subject, he indicated that he understood that the FBI had questioned some of his associates concerning his activities, and he, therefore, desired to come in and be interviewed and attempt to furnish the answers to any questions concerning himself. Inasmuch as the subject voluntarily

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Reference is made to a letter from the Internal Security Division dated May 27, 1958, and to investigative reports from this Bureau subsequent thereto. Enclosed is a report dated April 6, 1959, which contains the results of an interview with the subject.

It is requested that this Bureau be advised whether the subject has incurred an obligation to register pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended. In the event the subject's registration is solicited, it is requested that the results be furnished to this Bureau.

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NOTE: Subject is president of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, and neo-Fascist group in New York City. Registration Act investigation of subject instituted November, 1956, on basis of information received from [redacted] that subject had become a factor in distribution of Arab propaganda in the New York area, a large amount allegedly being furnished to him (by officials of Egyptian Delegation to UN) Same source subsequently furnished considerable information showing Madole contacted and received from Arab establishments, pro-Arab and anti-Jewish literature which he distributed to his followers in the NRP. Case referred on 4-25-58 to Department for opinion as to Registration Act violation. On 5-27-58 (referenced letter), Department advised although it may be inferred from large amount of Arab literature handled

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by Madole and [by frequent contacts with Arab officials] that he is acting as an agent of Arab States, there is no evidence he is acting at order, request, or under such direction of a foreign government as to create legal unenforceable obligation to register. Department advised that if additional information is received indicating activities of subject are being controlled by foreign principal, matter of solicitation of subject's registration would be reviewed again in light of additional evidence. This investigation was intensified on 1-29-59 upon instructions of Director in order to bring to logical conclusion and to get Department to make up its mind. Intensified investigation, which included interviews with colleagues and associates of Madole, representatives and investigators of Anti-Defamation League, and other Jewish organizations, and interview with Madole himself developed no evidence that Madole is being paid by a foreign government or actually being controlled or directed by such government. All logical investigation has now been conducted and although investigation does not appear to have developed any evidence indicating Madole's activities are being controlled by a foreign principal, felt case should be referred to Department for its opinion based on investigation subsequent to 5-27-58. (U)

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Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security Division

May 27, 1959

Director, FBI

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JAMES H. MADOLE
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Reference is made to this Bureau's letter
dated April 20, 1959.

It is requested that this Bureau be advised
whether any decision has been reached with regard to the
matter set forth in the referenced letter.

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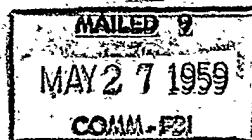
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NOTE: Subject is president of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in NYC, concerning whom we have conducted an intensive Registration Act investigation in order to ascertain if he has incurred the obligation to register pursuant to provisions of Foreign Agents Registration Act. In view of his distribution of Arab propaganda in New York area, a large amount of which was obtained by him from Arab diplomatic establishments. We referred this matter to the Internal Security Division on 4-20-59 for opinion and this is first follow-up letter. Memo 1-29-59 Donahoe to Belmont called attention to a series of articles in "New York Daily News" and attached airtel to NY instructing Registration Act investigation of subject be intensified to develop competent evidence if subject actually was acting as an agent of Arab principals so as to create a legally enforceable obligation for him to register. The Director noted that we should intensify this investigation and try to get the Department to make up its mind, it being noted investigation previously referred to Department 4-25-58 for Registration Act opinion and on 5-27-58 Department advised there was no evidence as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, Federal Bureau
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DATE: June 3 1959

FROM : J. Walter Yeagley
Acting Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security Division

SUBJECT: JAMES H. MADOLE
INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

Reference is made to your memorandum of April 20, 1959, and to investigative reports submitted by your Bureau subsequent to our letter of May 27, 1958, concerning the captioned subject. You request to be advised whether the subject has incurred an obligation to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

While the information submitted indicates that the subject continues to distribute pro-Arab literature and has prepared articles for certain Arab officials, the evidence presented regarding these activities fails to support an agency relationship. As this Division pointed out in our letter of May 27, 1958, where there is a strong likelihood of a subject resisting a request for registration, it is desirable that the evidence be such as to establish an element of control by the foreign principal over the alleged agent. In this case the subject appears to be acting voluntarily to further the aims and principles of his political party. Moreover there is no evidence that the subject is receiving compensation from any Arab government. Thus, to date the subject's activities are not such as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

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Enclosed is a memorandum from the Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice dated June 3, 1959, which is self-explanatory.

You are instructed to incorporate in a closing report the pertinent information regarding the Department's prosecutive opinion as set forth in the enclosed memo. Although no further investigation regarding the subject is being requested at this time as to possible Registration Act violation on his part, you should be alert to the receipt of any information in the future which would tend to support an agency relationship between the subject and foreign principals. If such information is obtained, the Bureau should be promptly advised and investigation re-instituted to develop competent evidence that subject's activities are such as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register under the provisions of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

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NOTE: Subject is president of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist Group in New York, concerning whom we have conducted an intensive Registration Act investigation in order to ascertain if he has incurred obligation to register under the Registration Act. This investigation was intensified as a result of memo Donahoe to Belmont 1/29/59, which called attention to a series of articles in "The New York Daily News" which indicated subject was very active in disseminating hate literature which he obtained from Arab establishments. The Director noted we should intensify this investigation to try to get the Department to make up its mind, it being noted investigation previously referred to Department 4/25/58 for Registration Act opinion and on 5/27/58 Department advised there was no evidence as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register. During this

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intensive investigation interviews were made with associates and colleagues of subject, representatives and investigators of Anti-Defamation League as well as other Jewish organizations, and interview was had with the subject himself. The Department has now advised that evidence presented by additional investigation still fails to support an agency relationship and his activities are not such as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register. It is noted investigation did not develop that subject was under control of a foreign principal and no evidence developed that subject received compensation from any Arab government.

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Report of SA [REDACTED] 3/29/55,
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Report of SA [REDACTED] 4/6/59, at
New York.
Bulet to Assistant Attorney General,
Internal Security Division, 4/20/59.
Bulet to New York, 6/9/59.

ADMINISTRATIVE

In accordance with instructions set forth in re Bulet dated 6/9/59, this case is being placed in a closed status. The NYO will be alert to the receipt of any information in the future which would tend to support an agency relationship between the subject and foreign principals.

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The report of SA [redacted] dated 8/11/59, has been classified "Confidential" inasmuch as the report contains information from [redacted] indicating contacts between the subject and an employee of a foreign diplomatic establishment. Information furnished by [redacted] could reasonably result in the identity of the informant of continuing value and compromise the future effectiveness thereof.

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BUREAU 105-52256

NEW YORK 105-6129

Title:

JAMES H. MADOLE

Character:

INTERNAL SECURITY - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

Synopsis:

(U) ~~(S)~~ Contacts between JAMES MADOLE and [REDACTED] NYC set forth. The Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice has advised that to date, MADOLE's activities are not such to create a legally enforceable obligation to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

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DETAILS

(U) On March 5, 1959, NY T-1 advised that on March 5, 1959, JAMES MADOLE was in contact with [redacted] New York City. According to NY T-1, MADOLE stated that on February 27, 1959, he had been roughed up by a gunman, who had broken into his home, wrecked his house and threatened to shoot him. MADOLE stated that the gunman had been at his home from 11:00 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. MADOLE commented that the New York City Police Department (NYCPD) thought that the gunman was sent by an organization because of newspaper publicity. MADOLE stated that the gunman had taken his files, but did not take his documents. According to NY T-1, MADOLE stated that his organization gives out information like the Zionists do, and he is not an agent for the Arab states. (X) (u)

MADOLE stated that the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and the Bureau of Special Services of the NYCPD are investigating the case, as some American businessmen would be embarrassed if the files fell into the wrong hands. According to NY T-1, MADOLE concluded by stating that he had a report on the United Jewish Appeal almost completed. (X) (u)

On March 20, 1959, NY T-1 advised that MADOLE was in contact with [redacted] and MADOLE advised that he had a report for [redacted] which listed several (X) (u)

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hundred firms. According to NY T-1, MADOLE made an appointment to see [] at the Consulate of Iraq, New York City on March 20, 1959. ~~(S)~~ (U)

On March 26, 1959, NY T-1 advised that MADOLE was in contact with [] and advised that they should put the Burma Line and the Zim Navigation Company on the list. MADOLE stated that the Burma Line is carrying most of Israel's trade from the Far East, and the Zim Navigation Company owns the majority of the stock of the Burma Line. ~~(S)~~ (U)

On April 6, 1959, NY T-1 advised that MADOLE was in contact with [] and advised that he had some material of a non-published nature that [] might be able to use. According to NY T-1, [] inquired if MADOLE would like to come to the Consulate of Iraq, New York City as they are always glad to see MADOLE. ~~(S)~~ (U)

According to NY T-1, MADOLE inquired if [] had any more of the pamphlets entitled "Massacre of Arabs in Israel." [] stated that he would attempt to locate the pamphlets. ~~(S)~~ (U)

On May 18, 1959, NY T-1 advised that [] informed MADOLE that the reports furnished by MADOLE get priority and are sent to Baghdad, Iraq, as soon as possible. According to NY T-1, MADOLE stated that he had a report for [] on a lobby organization in Washington, D.C. ~~(S)~~ (U)

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According to NY T-1, MADOLE stated that he desired to get additional copies of the pamphlets "Massacre of Arabs in Israel" in order that he could pass out the pamphlets outside of the Presbyterian Church on Madison Avenue, New York City, on June 3, 1959. MADOLE stated that a meeting was to be held at this church, but that he was not able to determine any other information concerning this meeting except that at the meeting matters concerning the Middle East would be discussed. According to NY T-1, an appointment was made for MADOLE to meet with [] at the Consulate of Iraq, New York City at 10:30 a.m. on May 18, 1959. (U)

On May 20, 1959, NY T-1 advised that MADOLE advised [] that a friend of MADOLE's had some material consisting of diagrams which are Office of Strategic Service declassified material. MADOLE stated that he had seen the material, but his friend did not want to go to the Consulate of Iraq, New York City with MADOLE. MADOLE stated that he would arrange for [] to meet with MADOLE's friend without his friend knowing of [] connection with the Consulate of Iraq. MADOLE stated that this was the best material that he had gotten for [] to date, and he was sure that [] government would be interested providing that they could produce the material. According to NY T-1, arrangements were made for [] to meet with MADOLE on May 21, 1959, to discuss the matter. (U)

On May 26, 1959, NY T-2 advised that

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on May 25, 1959, JAMES MADOLE was in contact with GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL and ROCKWELL had asked MADOLE to come to Washington, D.C. for ROCKWELL's trial on June 8, 1959. According to NY T-2, he had gathered from ROCKWELL that the FBI had been bothering MADOLE and ROCKWELL had advised MADOLE to be honest with the FBI, and they would be reasonable. NY T-2 stated that ROCKWELL indicated that he would like to get MADOLE to Washington, D.C. for good, to perform the role taken in Nazi Germany by RUDOLPH HESS. According to NY T-2, ROCKWELL stated that MADOLE put out the best written material of all of the right wing.

NY T-2 has advised that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL is an anti-Semite, who, in February, 1959, organized the World Union of Free Enterprise National Socialists. According to NY T-2, that organization is a Nazi type group which calls for the execution of Jews guilty of Communist or Zionist treason, and the repatriation of Negroes to Africa.

By letter dated June 3, 1959, from J. WALTER YEAGLEY, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, the Internal Security Division advised that while the material previously submitted by the FBI concerning JAMES MADOLE indicates that MADOLE continues

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to distribute pro-Arab literature and [has prepared articles for certain Arab officials.] the evidence presented regarding these activities fails to support an agency relationship. The Internal Security Division pointed out that where there is a strong likelihood of a subject resisting a request for registration, it is desirable that the evidence be such as to establish an element of control by the foreign principal over the alleged agent. The Internal Security Division advised that in this case, MADOLE appears to be acting voluntarily to further the aims and principles of his political party. Moreover there is no evidence that MADOLE is receiving compensation from any [Arab government.] Thus, to date MADOLE's activities are not such as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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New York, New York
August 11, 1959

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Re: James Madole
Internal Security - United Arab Republic
Registration Act - United Arab Republic

All informants mentioned in the report
of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned
as above have furnished reliable information in the
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SAC, New York

September 14, 1959

Director, FBI

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Re report of SA [redacted] dated 8/11/59
concerning James H. Madole, your file 105-6129.

Information on pages 2, 3 and 4 of referenced report discloses contact of Madole with captioned subject, [redacted] and it is indicated that they have exchanged information with each other. Your attention is particularly directed to information on page 4 of referenced report wherein information is set forth that Madole made arrangements to meet with the subject on 5/21/59 to discuss some material which Madole stated he could obtain from an unidentified friend. Madole described the material as being declassified material from the Office of Strategic Services (OSS).

State Department clearance was obtained 9/9/59 for investigation of subject. Accordingly, Bureau authority is granted for a discreet investigation of the subject in order to determine if he is acting as either a propaganda or intelligence agent of the Iraqi Government and also to determine if he is engaging in activities inimical to the best interest of this country. During this investigation, you should attempt to ascertain whether anyone is furnishing subject with OSS material and, of course, the identity of such person should be ascertained and recommendations submitted concerning an investigation of him. Bufiles contain no information of a subversive derogatory nature identifiable with the subject in addition to that which is contained in the files of your office.

Give this matter prompt and continuous attention, and your first investigative report should include all pertinent information in the files of your office concerning the subject including that information showing his dealings with Madole.

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Title is changed to reflect full name of subject as contained in FBI Identification Record.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Bureau letter to NY, dated 6/9/59, concerning JAMES H. MADOLE had the character IS - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC; REGISTRATION ACT - UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, because of apparent propaganda activities on the part of MADOLE in favor of Arab establishments in NYC. However, since this phase of the investigation concerning subject has been closed, his current activities are reported herein under RACIAL MATTERS.

By letter to the Bureau, dated 6/3/59, the Department of Justice expressed the opinion that subject's activities were not such as to create a legally enforceable obligation to register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

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Pretext interview referred to under caption IV. MISCELLANEOUS was conducted by SA [redacted] who posed as a member of the public who was interested in the activities of the National Renaissance Party.

A letter has been directed to the Boston Office to verify subject's birth date namely 7/7/27 or 7/20/27, at New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Sources who are in a position to furnish information concerning subject's movements are the following:

[redacted]

Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company
1511 3rd Avenue, NYC, where the bank
account of the National Renaissance
Party (NRP) is maintained.

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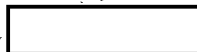
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Sources utilized in characterizations of organizations listed in Appendix are as follows:

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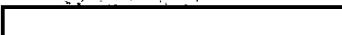
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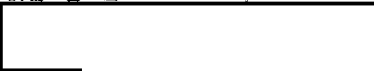
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Manufacturers Hanover
Trust Company, 1511
3rd Avenue, NYC (by request)

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[redacted] Bureau
of Special Services,
NYCPD. [redacted]
[redacted] in turn
received the information
from [redacted]
who employs the name [redacted]
[redacted] in undercover
activities in the racial
field in NYC)

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LEADS:

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At New York, New York

Will report the verification of subject's birth date at New Bedford, Massachusetts, to be furnished by Boston Office.

Will report pertinent background information obtained by St. Louis Office from US Coast Guard record for subject's father, JAMES MADOLE.

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New York, New York

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105-52256

Title:

JAMES HARTING MADOLE

Character:

RACIAL MATTERS

Synopsis:

Subject currently resides 10 West 90th Street, NYC, with his mother Mrs. GRACE MADOLE; subject is unemployed. MADOLE arrested 7/14/63 by NYCPD for conspiracy to riot; indicted 8/15/63 by Bronx County Grand Jury, NYC; pled not guilty and continued in \$7,500 bail. Identities of associates set forth. JAMES MADOLE has been leader of National Renaissance Party (NRP) throughout its 14 year existence. He presides over NRP meetings and is principal speaker. Headquarters of NRP maintained at subject's residence. Subject's contacts with and activities in behalf of other racial or hate groups set forth. MADOLE allegedly stated in July, 1949, "We are ready (for violence) on a small scale in New York City." MADOLE informed representatives of Counterintelligence Corps, US Army, 11/6/57 that the NRP does not advocate the violent overthrow of the Government; that if the NRP were in power they would "kill all the Jews". MADOLE has in the past distributed quantities of pro-Arab literature.

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DETAILS:

I. BACKGROUND

A. Birth Date

In a questionnaire completed by the subject in 1949 for a United States Government Agency, JAMES MADOLE listed his birth date as July 20, 1927 at New Bedford, Massachusetts.

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In employment application furnished L. H. Dommerich Company, 261 Madison Avenue, New York City, MADOLE indicated in 1955 that he was born July 7, 1927.

In employment application furnished Alcoa Steamship Company, 17 Battery Place, New York City in October, 1951, subject listed his birth date as July 7, 1927.

[REDACTED]
Alcoa Steamship Company,
17 Battery Place
to SA [REDACTED]
March 8, 1956

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B. Citizenship Status

JAMES H. MADOLE is an American citizen, having been born at New Bedford, Massachusetts.

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C. Education

JAMES H. MADOLE attended Beacon High School, Beacon, New York, from 1941 to 1945.

[REDACTED]
Alcoa Steamship Company
(above)

D. Marital Status

In a Government questionnaire executed by subject in 1949, JAMES MADOLE indicated that he was single. No information has been received reflecting a change in his status since that time.

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E. Military Service

No information has been received reflecting any military service on the part of JAMES MADOLE. He is presently classified 5A under the Selective Service System and in 1949 he was classified 4F due to bronchial asthma.

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F. Credit and Identification Record

Records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York, New York City, examined on November 8, 1963, by IC [REDACTED] reflected a credit report since September, 1946 on JAMES H. MADOLE which reflected his employment as Sidney Blumenthal Company, 1400 Broadway, New York City, and his residence as 10 West 90th Street, New York City, as of December, 1954. The previous residence was listed as 224 East Main Street, Beacon, New York.

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Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Identification Record for JAMES HARTUNG MADOLE reflected his arrest on July 14, 1963, by the New York City Police Department (NYCPD), their number 548205, charged with conspiracy to commit riot.

The New York "Daily News", August 16, 1963, contained an article concerning the National Renaissance Party (NRP), which set forth the following information:

"The Bronx County Grand Jury, New York City, yesterday indicted eight members of the National Renaissance Party, a neo-Nazi hate group, on charges of criminal anarchy, inciting to riot and Sullivan law violation (carrying weapons). The eight were arrested last month and accused of sparking illegal activities at the site of the racially embattled White Castle Diners in the Bronx, New York. Seven of the eight were arraigned in Bronx Supreme Court before Judge SAMUEL SILVERMAN and pled not guilty. The eighth, who signed a waiver of immunity and testified before the Grand Jury, will be arraigned later. His name was not disclosed. Included among the seven who were arraigned on August 15, 1963, was JAMES MADOLE, age 36, of 10 West 90th Street, New York City, 'reputed fuhrer of the NRP'. MADOLE was continued in \$7,500 bail".

G. Employment

Subject is unemployed at the present time.

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JAMES MADOLE was employed for a brief period of time at Sidney Blumenthal Company, 1400 Broadway, New York City, up to November 7, 1947, when his employment was terminated by the company because of MADOLE's political activity.

[redacted]
Sidney Blumenthal Company
1400 Broadway
New York City, to
SA [redacted]
November, 1947

JAMES MADOLE was employed from September 14, 1950, to December 20, 1950, in the Chemical Department of the Charles Bruning Company, 100 Church Street, New York City. He was a helper in the Chemical Department and secured this employment through the Provident Employment Service, New York City. He claimed he worked previously at Republic Car Loading and Distributing Company, 168 12th Avenue, New York City.

[redacted]
Charles Bruning Company,
100 Church Street,
New York City

JAMES MADOLE was employed with the Alcoa Steamship Company, 17 Battery Place, as a junior clerk October 9, 1951, and was discharged in the spring of 1953 because of frequent illnesses. He indicated a previous employment with Hammond Paint and Chemical Company, Beacon, New York, from June, 1951, to July, 1951.

[redacted]
Alcoa Steamship Company (above)

JAMES MADOLE was employed by L. H. Dommerich Company, 261 Madison Avenue, New York City, from September 13, 1955, to December 4, 1957, as a junior clerk.

[redacted]
L. H. Dommerich Company,
New York City, to
SA [redacted]
May 7, 1958

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JAMES MADOLE writes articles for the National Renaissance Bulletin and prepares this paper for publication. The bulletin has been issued by the subject on approximately a monthly basis since 1949.

(Information attributed to NY T-3 throughout this report was furnished during the period indicated)

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April, 1953 to
November 8, 1963

The National Renaissance Bulletin of January, 1949, described itself as the "official organ of the National Renaissance Party devoted to animism, a philosophy based on the values of individual personality, private enterprise and Government by the intellectual elite".

JAMES MADOLE indicated in March, 1958, that he had been laid off from employment because of business conditions; that he was not looking for another job and had not applied for unemployment benefits. MADOLE stated he did not need such benefits; that he would have enough money to continue putting out the National Renaissance Bulletin and would be able to manage funds for the NRP without working.

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H. Residence

JAMES MADOLE resides in Apartment 8, 10 West 90th Street, New York City, with his mother. They occupy a one room apartment with kitchenette and private bath.

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[redacted] Bureau of Special Services, NYCPD, advised SA [redacted] on August 6, 1956, that JAMES MADOLE was residing in Apartment 8 at 10 West 90th Street, New York City, with his mother, Mrs. GRACE MADOLE as of August, 1956, and had been residing there since May, 1954. b6 b7C

Mrs. GRACE MADOLE is a retired former employee of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, New York City, where she worked for many years. MADOLE's father allegedly is deceased. Mrs. MADOLE has always been in the background of her son's activities. She has encouraged him in his political endeavors. MADOLE's anti-Semitic, pro-German zeal has been instilled in him by his mother. Mrs. MADOLE has attended many meetings of the NRP and has counseled her son concerning the organization and operation of the NRP.

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Records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York, referred to above, reflect the following previous residences for JAMES MADOLE:

224 East Main Street
Beason, New York
(September, 1946)

2305 Grand Avenue,
Bronx, New York
(no date indicated)

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I. Physical Description and
Status of Health

JAMES MADOLE has suffered since childhood from an asthmatic condition. He suffers frequent attacks of asthma and has been hospitalized on a few occasions from severe attacks. MADOLE has been unable to hold a steady job because of his asthmatic condition.

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The following is a composite physical description of JAMES MADOLE as obtained from the following sources:

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Identification Division, FBI
Personal Observation of Special
Agents [redacted] and
THOMAS G. SPENCER; Records,
L. H. Dommerich Company

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Name	JAMES HARTING MADOLE
Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	July 7, 1927 or July 20, 1927
Place of Birth	New Bedford, Massachusetts
Age	36
Height	70 inches
Weight	174 pounds
Hair	Brown, partially bald
Eyes	Blue
Complexion	Light
Residence	10 West 90th Street, New York City
Occupation	Writer, clerk
Social Security Number	054-24-378

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Mother's Name

~~GRACE MADOLE nee~~

~~HARTING~~

Father

~~MRS. JAMES MADOLE,~~

Allegedly deceased

Fingerprint

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NYCPD Number

548205

MASS.

J. Make and Model of Automobile
and Descriptive Data

~~1955- SECRETARY- NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY~~

10 WEST 90TH. ST., N.Y., N.Y.

The Bureau of Motor Vehicles, New York City,
has no record of a driver's license nor automobile
registration in the name of JAMES H. MADOLE.

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Records of Bureau of
Motor Vehicles, as
checked by IC [redacted]

November 6, 1963

On May 26, 1963, [redacted]
Bureau of Special Services, NYCPD, advised that JAMES
MADOLE drove to an "America First Rally" sponsored by
the NRP in a yellow panel truck bearing 1963 Connecticut
license CT769. This rally was held on May 25, 1963
on First Avenue between 85th Street and 86th Street,
New York City. [redacted] stated that the panel
truck was owned and operated by an individual who
identified himself as [redacted]
[redacted] who also identified himself to the
police as a member of the NRP.

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On July 14, 1963, [redacted] advised
that this panel truck, which was further identified as
a 1958 English Ford panel truck, was again used by
members of the NRP for the purpose of observing a
picketing demonstration at the White Castle Diner.

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Soundview Avenue and Bruckner Boulevard, Bronx, New York on July 14, 1963.

K. Up-to-Date Picture of Subject

An up-to-date photograph of the subject is maintained in the New York Office file.

L. Special Abilities of Subject,
Including Knowledge of Weapons
and Explosives

On July 14, 1963, [redacted] advised that at 4:00 a.m. on that date three members of the NRP appeared at the 43rd Precinct, NYCPD, Bronx, New York to register a complaint that a gang of 20 Negroes had assaulted them at the White Castle Diner, Soundview Avenue and Bruckner Boulevard, Bronx, New York, after these NRP members had gone there to observe the picketing at that site by members of the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE). These three NRP members claimed that the window of a 1958 yellow English Ford panel truck, owned by [redacted] a member of their group, had been smashed by the CORE pickets.

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When members of the NYCPD inspected the truck they found that it contained a quantity of weapons and numerous pieces of anti-Negro literature bearing the identification of the NRP, 10 West 90th Street, New York City.

Weapons found in the truck consisted of a loaded United States Navy flare gun, loaded tear gas pencil, loaded tear gas billy, loaded .22 calibre revolver, loaded pellet gun, switchblade knife, straight razor, cross bow and three arrows, and long axe-type weapon.

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] of [redacted], self-admitted member of the NRP, informed the police that a group of NRP members had traveled to the White Castle Diner located at Allerton Avenue and Boston Road, Bronx, New York on the evening of July 13, 1963, for the purpose of distributing NRP literature to the CORE demonstrators who were picketing at this site.

[redacted] stated that the NRP members were to entice the CORE demonstrators into a fight and if necessary the weapons in the truck were to be used.

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[redacted] further informed the NYCPD that plans for this proposed enticement to fight with the demonstrators had been discussed thoroughly at a meeting held in the apartment of JAMES H. MADOLE, 10 West 90th Street, New York City, on Saturday evening, July 13, 1963.

[redacted] informed the NYCPD that when he and the others arrived at the White Castle Diner, Allerton Avenue and Boston Road, Bronx, New York, they were unable to place their plan into effect because of the large number of policemen in the area who would not permit them to drive [redacted] truck up to the restaurant.

[redacted] further stated that a group of NRP members then decided to drive over to the White Castle Diner, Soundview Avenue and Bruckner Boulevard, Bronx, which was also being picketed by CORE demonstrators. It was here that the scuffle with Negro demonstrators took place.

[redacted] advised that JAMES MADOLE was arrested on July 14, 1963, and charged with conspiracy to riot and attempted riot.

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MADOLE informed members of the NYCPD that he was at the site of the White Castle Diner, Allerton Avenue and Boston Road, Bronx, New York, on Friday evening, July 12, 1963, for the purpose of distributing NRP literature and for the possibility of recruiting new NRP members from among the young onlookers to the demonstration. MADOLE denied that any meeting had taken place on Saturday, July 13, 1963, or any date at which plans for a fight with CORE demonstrators was discussed. MADOLE likewise denied all knowledge of any firearms being possessed by members of the NRP.

M. Associates, Both Business
and Social

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[JAMES MADOLE was in contact on a number of occasions during the period March, 1959 to November, 1959, with [redacted] in New York City.] ~~SECRET~~ NY

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November 30, 1959

The New York "Daily News", January 23, 1959, page 30, in an article by DAVID BURT entitled "Peddling Hate in America", related that Professor HUSSEIN SELEM, Head of the Arab Information Office, New York City, in 1959 expressed amazement on learning of specific instances of Premier NASSER's men associating with racists. The article related an instance when ABDEL MAWGOUD HASSAN, Press Officer of the Egyptian Delegation to the United Nations (UN), addressed one of JAMES MADOLE's meetings. The article stated that HASSAN was photographed sitting beside JAMES MADOLE at the meeting.

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[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on August 27, 1962, that at a reception given by Algerians at the UN on August 23, 1962, JAMES MADOLE sat at the table of [redacted] in New York City.

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NY JOSEPH RUDDEN, 304 East 83rd Street, New York City, when interviewed March 17, 1959 by Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted] stated that he had been associated with JAMES MADOLE in the NRP since about 1953. He advised that he held no official title in the NRP and that the NRP is sponsored by subscribers to the National Renaissance PARTY Bulletin, which he estimated to be about 700.

1953-1959-ASSOCIATED WITH
FREDERICK WEISS, Mt. Hope Road, Middletown, New York, was interviewed on February 20, 1959, by Special Agents THOMAS G. SPENCER and [redacted]. WEISS informed that he has not been in contact with JAMES MADOLE or the activities of the NRP for the past three years; that at the time when he was closely associated with MADOLE prior to 1956, the latter had a mailing list of from 100 to 200 names of individuals, most of whom were in the Southern part of the United States. Persons on this list, according to WEISS, were furnished copies of the National Renaissance Bulletin each month. MADOLE also had a contribution list of from 200 to 500 individuals each of whom paid \$2.00 a year for membership in the NRP.

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N.Y. FREDERICK WEISS stated that one of the individuals with whom MADOLE was associated was [redacted] who was employed by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai Brith. WEISS stated it was his understanding that [redacted] was assigned by the Anti-Defamation League to investigate anti-Jewish groups in the New York area and that he was certain that [redacted] used MADOLE as a source of information.

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The ~~National Renaissance Bulletin~~ for August - September, 1950, reflects that it was published monthly at Beacon, New York, and carried the name ~~KURT MERTIG~~, "New York City Chairman, NRP, 317 East 54th Street, New York City". The National Renaissance Bulletin for October, 1950, carried the name JAMES MADOLE, "National Director, NRP, 224 East Main Street, Beacon, New York".

KURT MERTIG, 317 East 54th Street, New York City, was a pro-German "radical" who had been active in German organizations for a number of years. MERTIG had been active in the NRP for several years but was forced to cease his activities because of illness.

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II. CONNECTIONS WITH KLAN-TYPE AND HATE-TYPE ORGANIZATIONS

A. National Renaissance Party

The NRP is characterized in the Appendix.

The NRP was organized by JAMES MADOLE and MADOLE has been the leader of the NRP throughout its 14 year existence and is the motivating force behind all its activities. MADOLE gathered a group of pro-German, anti-Semitic individuals into the NRP. It is MADOLE's personal zeal and continuous work which keeps the NRP in existence.

JAMES MADOLE is the principal speaker at all NRP meetings although he may invite other speakers from time to time. He presides over all meetings.

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MADOLE has been influenced in the direction and activity of the NRP by his mother, Mrs. GRACE MADOLE. MADOLE has expressed bitter hatred of the Jewish people and anti-Semitism has become one of the primary tenets of the NRP.

Headquarters of the NRP are maintained at the residence of JAMES H. MADOLE, 10 West 90th Street, New York City. NRP meetings are frequently held in the apartment of MADOLE, which apartment is also used for the preparation of NRP literature. MADOLE has arranged for all publications issued by the NRP and writes most of the material that is placed in these publications. The Security Echelon of the NRP meets at the subject's residence on Sunday afternoons and since JAMES MADOLE's arrest in August, 1963, the NRP has not held any street meetings or other public meetings.

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In an interview with a reporter for the New York "Compass", a New York City newspaper, issue of November 20, 1949, MADOLE stated that the NRP is derived from "animism", a philosophy he developed himself which is based on "values of individual personality, private enterprise and government by the intellectual elite". MADOLE stated that he believes "animism" would create a scientific society ruled by the best scientific minds. The article in the New York "Compass" related that "altogether his 'animism' is a strange mystical combination of all the Fascist, anti-Semitic, anti-democratic superstitions and myths that HITLER concocted, plus some new ones about science that MADOLE has contributed".

The New York "Compass" is characterized in the Appendix.

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Meetings of the NRP are currently held in MADOLE's apartment at 10 West 90th Street, New York City once each week with sometimes as many as twelve persons in attendance. These meetings were customarily held on Thursday evening, but of late are held on Saturday or Sunday afternoons.

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B. American Committee for Advancement of
Western Culture (ACAWC)

The ACAWC is characterized in the
Appendix hereto.

N.Y. At a conference held April 18 - 19, 1953,
at the farm of FREDERICK WEISS, Middletown, New York,
which was attended by FREDERICK WEISS, JAMES MADOLE
and H. KEITH THOMPSON, organizer of the ACAWC, it
was decided to use JAMES MADOLE's mailing list of the
NRP for the ACAWC.

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April, 1953

C. American Nazi Party (ANP)

The ANP is characterized in the
Appendix hereto.

JAMES MADOLE made the comment in
about January, 1958, that he had received a letter from
GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL of Arlington, Virginia. The
letter was dated in December, 1958, and indicated that
ROCKWELL was planning to hold a meeting sometime after
Christmas and had requested MADOLE to attend.
ROCKWELL also expressed a desire for MADOLE to work with
ROCKWELL's group against the Jews. MADOLE allegedly
advised ROCKWELL that he did not desire to attend the
meeting but would gladly distribute any literature
that ROCKWELL furnished him.

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GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL, leader of the
ANP, Arlington, Virginia, on 5/26/59 stated that he had
been in contact with JAMES MADOLE. ROCKWELL stated he would

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like to get MADOLE to come to Washington permanently to perform a role similar to the role taken in Nazi Germany by RUDOLPH HESS, former Nazi functionary under ADOLPH HITLER. ROCKWELL stated that MADOLE put out the best written material of all the "Right-Wing". ROCKWELL stated that he invited MADOLE to come to Washington to attend the scheduled trial of ROCKWELL on June 8, 1959. ROCKWELL allegedly remarked that MADOLE indicated he would attend.

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May 26, 1959

A characterization of GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL is included in the characterization of the ANP.

MADOLE indicated about October, 1958, that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL had visited him. MADOLE stated that ROCKWELL wanted MADOLE to work with him and to use the National Renaissance Bulletin. ROCKWELL also wanted MADOLE to place a swastika on the front page of the National Renaissance Bulletin as the organization insignia. MADOLE commented that ROCKWELL is not going to be allowed to use his bulletin, and further stated that others had tried to use him and his bulletin but none of them could ever achieve anything.

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On June 13, 1963, from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m., 17 individuals attended the first meeting of the American Nazi Party of New York City, which was held at the Madison Square Hotel, 26th Street

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and Madison Avenue, New York City. Included among the 17 in attendance were JAMES MADOLE and several members of the NRP. The discussion at this meeting concerned itself with possible cooperation in their respective activities in New York City between the NRP and the ANP. MADOLE was strongly against such cooperation since he felt that the NRP should act independently of any other organization, however, a successful discussion was held concerning the possible common usage by NRP and ANP of lawyers and bondsmen.

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1958 [redacted]
D. National States Rights Party (NSRP)

JAMES MADOLE indicated about October, 1958, that he had received a letter from [redacted] of Louisville, Kentucky, [redacted] NSRP; in which he told MADOLE that he would send him the names of all the "Anti-Defamation League spies in the South."

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JAMES MADOLE indicated about December, 1958, that he had received a letter from [redacted] of the NSRP in which [redacted] allegedly requested MADOLE to carry material in the National Renaissance Bulletin taken from "The Thunderbolt", a publication of the NSRP. MADOLE further stated that he had received a subsequent letter from [redacted] in which [redacted] discussed a plan of actively affiliating with MADOLE and his bulletin work. This source furnished no details concerning this plan.

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E. The Truth Seeker

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JAMES MADOLE attended a meeting of the "Truth Seeker" group headed by CHARLES SMITH, on February 14, 1958, and held at Pythian Hall, West 70th Street, New York City. About 25 people were present including JAMES MADOLE, GRACE MADOLE and JOSEPH RUDDEN. JAMES MADOLE also attended a meeting of "Truth Seeker" group on January 10, 1958, and indicated that he intended to take over the "Truth Seeker" group and hoped to speak regularly at meetings of the group, thereby saving himself the trouble and expense of organizing public meetings of his own.

The "Truth Seeker" is characterized in the Appendix. NY T-3

F. United Nordic Confederation

The United Nordic Confederation is characterized in the Appendix.

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[redacted] of the United Nordic Confederation, attended a meeting at the apartment of JAMES MADOLE, 10 West 90th Street, New York City, on October 23, 1958.

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The New York "Daily News" of January 24, 1959, page 14, contains an article by DAVID BURK entitled "Peddling Hate in America", stating that GEORGE LEGGETT and his "gang" performed the various services for "New York Fuehrer JAMES MADOLE."

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The same "Daily News" article referred to above, characterized [redacted] as the [redacted]

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"Fuehrer of Forest Hills" and said that LEGGETT was the leader of a group in Queens and Yorkville sections of New York City, called the United Nordic Confederation.

G. Nationalist Action League

JAMES MADOLE attended a meeting of the Nationalist Action League in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on July 22, 1949, and was one of the principal speakers at the meeting.

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September, 1949

The Nationalist Action League has been designated pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

III. STATEMENTS BY SUBJECT CONCERNING
VIOLENCE AND ACTIVITIES IN RACIAL
SITUATIONS

1949 - LEADER

At a meeting of the Nationalist Action League in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on July 22, 1949, JAMES MADOLE in his speech stated that the time for "talking" was past, and the present was the time for action. MADOLE supported WILLIAM H. MAC FARLAND, leader of the Nationalist Action League, Philadelphia, and allegedly stated "What we need in Philadelphia is 1,000 able-bodied ex-servicemen to back up MAC FARLAND. Then you will be ready for action. I am not advocating violence here tonight. You are not ready for it here in Philadelphia. We are ready on a small scale in New York City." MADOLE allegedly continued "Don't get the idea that violence is anti-Christian."

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"Christ used violence - a whip to drive them from the Temple.

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September, 1949

In The National Renaissance Bulletin, September - October, 1958, in an article by JAMES MADOLE, entitled "The Untold Facts Behind the Synagogue Bombings", JAMES MADOLE discussed the bombing of a Jewish synagogue in Atlanta, Georgia, on October 12, 1958. MADOLE states in this article:

"At least seven bombings of schools and synagogues, all of which demonstrated the handywork of an expert dynamiter, as well as perfect timing, have taken place in various parts of the South during the last year. Until the recent Atlanta bombing not a single clue has been turned up concerning the identity of the mysterious bombers." MADOLE further stated "Have American Nationalists actually resorted to force and violence in order to further their struggle against rising Jewish power in America? The Jews were the only group to gain both financially and politically from the wave of dynamitings. No sane American Nationalist could expect anything But the intervention of Federal authorities, a veritable tidal wave of investigations and unfavorable publicity in the national press." MADOLE expressed the opinion that none of the five "Nationalists" arrested in connection with the bombing of the Jewish Temple in Atlanta "has ever handled dynamite".

In a discussion concerning various bombings which received newspaper publicity about October,

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1958, MADOLE stated "These bombers are screwballs" and have no place in the movement; they are hurting the cause."

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JAMES MADOLE was one of the speakers at a mass meeting held on Sunday, January 26, 1958, at the headquarters of "Common Sense" in Union, New Jersey. In his speech, MADOLE said that the white race would rule and that the Jew is "our" enemy. He also said that the Mexicans, Puerto Ricans, and other prototypes in South America and Asia would have to accept the "inevitable" for they would be exterminated. MADOLE allegedly made the comment "We will have to seize power, show no weakness and no pity."

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"Common Sense is characterized in the Appendix.

JAMES MADOLE was interviewed at his residence on November 14, 1957, by representatives of United States Army Counter-Intelligence Corp (CIC). MADOLE allegedly informed CIC that the NRP stands for dictatorship and that this dictatorship is the solution to problems in the United States; however, he indicated that the NRP does not advocate the violent overthrow of the United States Government. MADOLE said if the NRP were in power, they would "kill all the Jews and ship the Negroes and Puerto Ricans to the countries of their origin."

IV. MISCELLANEOUS

A. Propaganda Activities for Arabian Establishments, New York City

The last page of the May, 1956 issue of "National Renaissance Bulletin", advertised a list of literature which

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MADOLE had obtained from the Egyptian Information Office, 900 Park Avenue, New York City. This source stated that as of July, 1956, MADOLE was engaged in the distribution of Arab propaganda.

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JAMES MADOLE made the comment in about May, 1958, that he had finished an article requested by the Arabs which had taken him three weeks to prepare and which contained 35 pages. MADOLE described this article as a report on conditions in the United States relating to the Arab boycott of Jewish firms. MADOLE stated he listed firms which did business with Israel or in some way worked for Israel, and firms which contributed to the United Jewish Appeal. MADOLE said he delivered this report to the Egyptian Office in New York City.

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JOSEPH RUDDEN, an associate of MADOLE, advised Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on March 17, 1959, that he had aided MADOLE in contacting all of the Arab establishments in New York City in order to secure literature which was anti-Zionist. RUDDEN stated that MADOLE stamped this Arab literature with the stamp of the NRP and distributed it to NRP followers. RUDDEN further stated that as far as he knows, MADOLE was not acting as an agent for any foreign government.

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B. Interviews with Subject

JAMES MADOLE was interviewed under pretext by a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on October 22, 1958, at his residence in New York City. MADOLE explained that he was distributing pro-Arab literature since he agreed with the Arab position in the Middle East. MADOLE stated that he and his organization are anti-Jewish and they felt that they should distribute pro-Arab literature since both the NRP and the Arabs were working in the same direction.

JAMES MADOLE was interviewed at the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on March 19, 1959, by SAS [redacted] and THOMAS G. SPENCER. MADOLE stated that in connection with material he has published for the NRP, he has never been approached by any representative of a foreign government to act on their behalf. He also stated that no foreign government officials have requested him to publish any material favoring a particular stand of a foreign government in any part of MADOLE's publications. MADOLE stated that during the past several years he had obtained quantities of literature published by foreign governments which he had stamped with the name of the NRP, and had distributed to members of the NRP. He stated he had never sold any of this literature. MADOLE indicated that this literature was obtained from many different within foreign countries and was by no means restricted to Arab countries.

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MADOLE stated that finances for the NRP are obtained from contributions and from the sale of the National Renaissance Bulletin, and other party literature.

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AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF
WESTERN CULTURE (ACAWC)

An article in the Newark Star Ledger daily newspaper published in Newark, New Jersey, March 22, 1953, reflected an interview with H. KEITH THOMPSON, Jr.; concerning his connection with the ACAWC. According to this article, THOMPSON's "newest venture in political ideology is as National Chairman of the American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture. As he outlined the Committee's aims in an interview yesterday, THOMPSON drew a Hitlerian picture of Nordic supremacy in the world fight against Communism."

THOMPSON is quoted as stating that this will be strictly an American group with representation in various major cities dedicated to a vigorous fight in behalf of the traditional Nordic, Anglo-Saxon, American culture and against the encroachment of Communism and alien cultures. "THOMPSON makes no bones about world Zionism being the Committee's major target."

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APPENDIX

1.

AMERICAN NAZI PARTY,
ALSO KNOWN AS WORLD UNION OF
FREE ENTERPRISE NATIONAL SOCIALISTS,
GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL PARTY

A source advised on February 27, 1959, that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL of Arlington, Virginia, had held an organizational meeting of the World Union of Free Enterprise National Socialists (WUFENS) at his residence on February 26, 1959.

Six persons were present and they, according to the source, comprised the beginning of an officer corps of the organization. ROCKWELL told those present that the WUFENS would be an international movement, but that the section of the organization in the United States would be known as the American Party of the WUFENS.

ROCKWELL on March 26, 1959, furnished to Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, a copy of the program of the WUFENS, stating that he expects to become the President of the United States through the organization's platform. The main tenets of the WUFENS, as reflected in the program, call for the migration of Negroes to Africa and the trial and execution of all Jews guilty of Communist and Zionist treason.

A second source advised on August 15, 1962, that the main activity of the organization in furtherance of these objectives, has consisted of picketings with anti-Jewish and anti-Negro placards; talks by ROCKWELL attacking Jews as traitors to the United States; attempts by ROCKWELL to form Nazi groups in various cities in the United States; and attempts to form a group of international sympathizers. ROCKWELL prints large amounts of Nazi literature at American Nazi Party Headquarters, 928 North Randolph Street, Arlington, Virginia.

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GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL PARTY.

On June 29, 1962, the State of Virginia revoked the charter of the American Nazi Party.

On September 20, 1962, the State Corporation Commission of Virginia issued a charter for a George Lincoln Rockwell Party." The second source mentioned above advised on September 24, 1962, that ROCKWELL will continue to carry on his activities, using the name American Nazi Party, and he obtained the charter for the George Lincoln Rockwell Party merely to be able to do business as a corporation.

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AMERICAN NAZI PARTY;
NEW YORK DISTRICT also known as
Committee on Poetic and Literary Discussion

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On June 13, 1963, a source advised that [REDACTED]

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According to the source, the ANP, New York District will promote in the New York City area the policies of the ANP which call for the migration of Negroes to Africa and the trial and execution of all Jews guilty of Communist and Zionist treason.

This same source further advised that on July 12, 1963, [REDACTED] announced that a headquarters for the ANP, New York District had been secured in the basement of 214 East 85th Street where it would operate under the cover name, Committee on Poetic and Literary Discussion.

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COMMON SENSE
(CHRISTIAN EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION (CEA))

The CEA of 530 Chestnut Street, Union, New Jersey, is the publisher of "Common Sense", a tabloid-size newspaper published twice monthly, except during July and August. Current issues of this paper identify the editor as CONDE MC GINLEY and the publisher as the CEA.

On December 17, 1954, the Committee on Un-American Activities of the United States House of Representatives, published a "Preliminary Report on Neo-Fascist and Hate Groups" in which their growth and objectives are discussed at length. The report indicated that "Common Sense" has a circulation which fluctuates between 30,000 and 100,000 copies per issue. It describes "Common Sense" as a "hate sheet" vehicle which publishes some of the most vitriolic hate propaganda ever to come to the attention of the Committee." According to the report, "Common Sense" depicts Communism as Judaism and devotes its pages almost entirely to attacks on the Jewish, and to a lesser extent, the Negro minorities in the United States. Sympathy for the former Nazi Government in Germany is also shown in the paper.

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"THE NEW YORK COMPASS"

In December, 1949, a confidential source advised that the editorial and reportorial staff of "The Compass" which totaled some 30 persons was composed in the majority of Communists and Communist sympathizers. This source stated that the editorial staff and the rewrite desk reviewed the news of the day as received from news service agencies and rewrote it to gain a "pro-Soviet slant." "The Compass" ceased publication November 3, 1952.

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NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

On July 16, 1963, a source stated that the National Renaissance Party (NRP) is an anti-Semitic, anti-Christian, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist organization, with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949, by JAMES H. MADOLE, who is in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the National Renaissance Bulletin on a bi-monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in New York City.

The source further stated that the headquarters for the NRP is located in the residence of JAMES H. MADOLE, at 10 West 90th Street, New York City.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States House of Representatives in a Preliminary Report dated December 17, 1954, stated NRP activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American.

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NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY (NSRP)

On November 26, 1957, a source advised that the United White Party (UWP) was organized at a convention held in Knoxville, Tennessee, on November 10, 1957. An article in the November 26, 1957 issue of the "Greenville Piedmont," a newspaper of Greenville, South Carolina, reported "the recent formation of a new political party to be known as the United White Party." According to the article, the party was formed at a recently held meeting in Knoxville, Tennessee, at which many klansmen were represented. The UWP was reported as being opposed to all "race mixing organizations and individuals."

The July, 1958 issue of "The Thunderbolt", self-described as the "official Racial Nationalist Organ of the National States Rights Party" (NSRP) reported that rank and file "States Righters" had merged with the UWP under "the banner of the National States Rights Party," with national offices at Post Office Box 261, Jeffersonville, Indiana.

In November, 1958, a source advised that the NSRP is composed of past members of klan-type organizations and notorious anti-Semites.

Issue Number 19, dated June, 1960, "The Thunderbolt," announced the address of the headquarters of the NSRP has been changed from Jeffersonville, Indiana, to Post Office Box 783, Birmingham, Alabama.

On June 17, 1960, a source advised that [redacted] of the NSRP, is the individual who "runs the NSRP."

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"The Thunderbolt" continues to publish articles attacking Negroes and persons of the Jewish faith.

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THE TRUTH SEEKER

On September 17, 1958, a source stated that The Truth Seeker, 38 Park Row, New York City, was an atheistic organization which publishes "The Truth Seeker", an anti-Semitic and anti-Negro publication and that CHARLES SMITH, the editor of "The Truth Seeker" was a notorious anti-semite.

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APPENDIX

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UNITED NORDIC CONFEDERATION

The "New York Journal American", of January 19, 1958, page 1, set forth information concerning the United Nordic Confederation and members of this group. This newspaper article characterized the United Nordic Confederation as a "race-baiting group that strongly resembles the German American Bund."

[redacted] was arrested along with members of the United Nordic Confederation by the New York City Police Department on January 17, 1958, for conspiracy to rob the Kew Gardens Branch of the Chase Manhattan Bank. They had hoped to obtain a \$40,000 "war chest" earmarked for an up-state physical culture camp, to restore the "purity" of the Nordic race.

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The German-American Bund has been designated pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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New York, New York

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Title : James Harting Madole

Character; Racial Matters

Reference is made to the report of
Special Agent Vincent J. Ascherl, dated and captioned
as above at New York.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities
are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable
information in the past.

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Date: August 27, 1959

To:

VIA LIAISON

Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs
Department of State
Washington 25, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: INTERNAL SECURITY - IRAQ

This will confirm State Department clearance granted orally via liaison channels for an FBI investigation of the captioned subject who is New York City.

Enclosed is a copy of a report dated August 11, 1959, at New York entitled "James H. Madole, Internal Security - United Arab Republic; Registration Act - United Arab Republic," concerning whom previous investigative reports have been submitted to your Department. Also enclosed is a memorandum dated August 11, 1959, which evaluates the informants used in the above report. Information on pages 2, 3 and 4 of the enclosed report discloses contacts of the captioned subject with Madole during which they both allegedly engaged in exchanges of information. Information on page 4 of enclosed report discloses that Madole made arrangements to meet with the subject on May 21, 1959, to discuss some material which Madole stated he could obtain from a friend. Madole advised the subject that the material consisted of diagrams described as being Office of Strategic Services declassified material.

Enclosures (2)

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NOTE: Let is classified "Confidential" as it shows our investigative interest in an official of a foreign diplomatic establishment. Also classified "Confidential" as enclosure is so classified as it contains info from an informant of continuing value whose identity would be jeopardized in event unauthorized disclosure is made of the info in report. James H. Madole is president of National Renaissance Party (NRP), an anti-Semitic, anti-Negro and neo-Fascist group in NY concerning whom we have conducted intensive Registration Act investigation to ascertain if he has incurred obligation to register. Investigation developed substantial amount of info showing contacts by Madole with Arab establishments and that he has distributed pro-Arab literature and prepared articles for certain Arab officials. Department by let 6-3-59 recognized these activities but stated the evidence presented regarding activities of Madole failed to support an agency relationship. Incoming closing report from NY concerning Madole sets out Department's opinion and includes additional info, not previously reported, from NY files showing contacts by Madole with [REDACTED] during March, April and May, 1959, including info set out in this let re declassified Office of Strategic Services (OSS) material which Madole said he was able to obtain from an unidentified friend. This info was furnished by [REDACTED]. In view of this info as well as other contacts by Madole with [REDACTED], felt we should initiate investigation of [REDACTED] to determine if he is either propaganda or intelligence agent of Iraqi Government. Upon receipt of State Department clearance, NY will be instructed to institute discreet investigation and during such investigation attempt to develop any info leading to the identity of person who may be making available declassified OSS material to the Iraqis, if such is actually taking place.

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